

Annual Report
OF THE
TOWN OF TILTON
New Hampshire



For the Year Ending December 31

1947

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Auditors,
Road Agent, School Board
and other Officers of the Town School District

OF THE

TOWN OF TILTON

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1947

ALSO

Vital Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1947

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Fred A. Smart

REPRESENTATIVE

Michael F. Bruno

TOWN CLERK

Robert B. Chalmers

TAX COLLECTOR

Robert B. Chalmers

TOWN TREASURER

Charles E. Smith

SELECTMEN

Joseph D. Robert

Myron L. Meserve

Joseph L. Ledoux

AUDITORS

Helen Y. Andrews

Henry A. Robert

HIGHWAY AGENT

George C. Daniels

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECK LIST

Helen Y. Andrews

Joel E. Nordholm

Arthur B. Bacon

HEALTH OFFICER

Joseph D. Robert

TILTON-NORTHFIELD SCHOOL BOARD

John W. Crawford, Chairman

Mrs. Winnifred Walker, Clerk

Mrs. Helen Randall

Dr. Archie Grevior

Brackett Hill

Donald P. Mattoon, Superintendent of Schools

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Oakes K. Lawrence

Ned C. Rogers

Robinson Shepard

TILTON-NORTHFIELD FIRE DISTRICT

FIREWARDS

Howard Alieff

Roy Jordan, Fire Chief

Arthur Covio

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

[L. S.]

To the inhabitants of the Town of Tilton in the County of Belknap, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose a Town Clerk and Town Treasurer for a term of one year, one Selectman for a term of three years, one Road Agent for the ensuing year, one Trustee of Trust Funds for a term of three years, two Auditors for the ensuing year, and one member of the Park Commission for a term of two years.
2. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day expense.
3. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of Cemeteries.
4. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise for the use of Hospitals for the ensuing year.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for White Pine Blister Rust Control to be spent in cooperation with the State Forestry Department.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$175.31 to obtain Town Road Aid from the State, the State to contribute the sum of \$701.25.

7. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the division of Municipal Accounting and make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$262.00, which is 1/100th of 1 per cent of the assessed valuation of the Town, to the Lakes Region Association for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town, in co-operation with other towns in the Lakes Region.

9. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the trees in the business section of the Town and appropriate money for the expense of any action. (By request.)

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 to make a public parking lot on Prospect Street, near B & M Railroad Station. (By request.)

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for fire fighting equipment for the Lochmere section of the Town. (By request.)

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to be used for the collection of garbage in the Winnisquam area of the Town of Tilton, this being done in conjunction with a like area in the Town of Sanbornton. (By request.)

13. To see if the Town will vote to make the salary of the Treasurer of Trust Funds 5% of the income of said funds yearly.

14. To see if the Town will vote to find if there is need for a housing authority to function in said Town, under the provisions of the Housing Authorities Law, Chapter 169 of the Revised Laws, as amended.

15. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue said "Driveway Road" bounding Oriole Cabins and said former main "D. W. Highway" road, bounding Abel's and Bric-kett's property in Winnisquam.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 to improve police facilities in basement of the Town Hall. (By request.)

17. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes.

18. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Selectmen as agents of the Town to administer or dispose of any property acquired by tax deed.

19. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise for all purposes for the year ensuing.

20. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the reports of its officers and agents.

21. To choose any other officers or agents for the year ensuing.

22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

23. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 13th day of February, A. D. 1948.

MYRON L. MESERVE,
JOSEPH D. ROBERT,
JOSEPH L. LEDOUX

Selectmen of Tilton.

BUDGET

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expendi- tures 1947	Estimated Expendi- tures 1948
General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$2,090.00	\$2,100.00
Town officers' expenses	1,533.36	1,500.00
Election and registration	113.52	400.00
Municipal Court expense	153.00	155.00
Expense of Town Hall	2,348.13	2,200.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	3,241.00	3,000.00
Fire Department outside pre- cinct	1,396.75	300.00
Health:		
District Nurse and hospital appropriation	1,333.00	1,350.00
Vital statistics	77.60	75.00
Sewers	274.65	500.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town maintenance	10,089.05	10,000.00
Street lighting	270.00	270.00
Town road aid	174.98	175.31
Libraries	1,100.00	1,200.00
Public Welfare:		
Town poor	276.80	500.00
Old Age assistance	3,926.79	4,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day expense	100.00	100.00
Cemeteries	319.45	350.00

Sidewalks	121.20	500.00
New Equipment	3,229.39	4,000.00
Payment to other Governmental Agencies:		
County Tax	9,886.77	10,000.00
School District	40,862.75	65,000.00
Fire District	12,999.70	12,128.00
Total Expenditures	\$95,917.89	\$119,802.31

BUDGET

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual Revenue 1947	Estimated Revenue 1948
Interest and Dividend tax	\$3,080.79	\$3,000.00
Railroad tax	354.41	350.00
Savings bank tax	701.19	700.00
Municipal court	635.80	600.00
Business licenses	24.00	75.00
Rent of town hall	996.00	1,500.00
Interest on taxes	200.00	200.00
Rent of equipment	2,118.32	1,000.00
Motor vehicle permit fees	2,766.43	2,500.00
Poll taxes	1,600.00	1,600.00
National bank stock taxes	30.00	250.00
Total revenue	\$12,506.94	\$11,775.00
Total estimated expenses for 1948		119,802.31
Total estimated revenue for 1948		11,775.00
Amount to be raised by property tax		\$108,027.31

VALUATION OF THE TOWN, APRIL 1, 1947

Land and Buildings	\$1,799,465.00
Growing Wood and timber	9,800.00
Electric plants, 2	457,345.00
Oxen, 2	150.00
Horses, 38	4,100.00
Cows, 288	28,550.00
Other Neat Stock, 50	2,575.00
Sheep, 5	65.00
Hogs, 1	25.00
Fowl, 4005	4,005.00
Wood and lumber	900.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks, 30	4,130.00
Stock in trade	194,752.00
Road machinery	3,200.00
Mills and machinery	106,600.00
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Total exclusive of soldiers' exemptions	\$2,615,662.00
Town Tax Rate including County Tax	\$1.20

VALUATION TILTON-NORTHFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Tilton	\$2,615,662.00
Northfield	1,467,735.00
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Total district valuation	\$4,083,397.00
School Tax Rate	\$2.12
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Appropriations	
Tilton, 64.11%	\$54,862.77
Northfield, 35.89%	30,713.23
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Total School Tax	\$85,576.00

VALUATION TILTON-NORTHFIELD
FIRE DISTRICT

Tilton	\$1,664,425.00
Northfield	975,125.00
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Total District Valuation	\$2,424,775.00
Fire District Tax Rate	\$.67
Tilton, 63.05%	\$10,999.70
Northfield, 36.95%	6,446.30
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Total Fire District Tax	\$17,446.00

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
TAXES ASSESSED**

Town officers' salaries	\$2,090.00
Town officers' expenses	1,200.00
Election and registration expenses	100.00
Municipal court expenses	155.00
Town Hall	2,000.00
Police department	3,300.00
Fire department, Radio	900.00
Health department and Laconia Hospital	1,350.00
Vital statistics	75.00
Town road aid	174.98
Town maintenance	10,000.00
Street lighting	324.00
Sidewalk construction	500.00
Sewer maintenance	500.00
New equipment	2,500.00
Libraries	1,100.00
Old age assistance	3,600.00
Town poor	1,000.00
Memorial Day expense	100.00
Parks and playgrounds, monuments	500.00
Cemeteries	375.00
County tax	9,886.77
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	\$40,542.75
Less estimated income	10,000.00
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	\$30,542.75

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Appro- priation	Expen- diture	Un- expended Balance	Over- Draft
Town officers' salaries	\$2,090.00	\$2,090.00		
Town officers' expenses	1,200.00	1,533.56		\$333.56
Election and registration exp.	100.00	113.52		13.52
Municipal court expenses	155.00	153.00	2.00	
Town Hall expense	2,000.00	2,348.13		348.13
Police Department	3,300.00	3,241.05	58.95	
Fire Department	900.00	1,396.75		496.75
Health Department				
and Laconia Hospital	1,350.00	1,300.00	50.00	
Vital Statistics	75.00	77.60		2.60
Town road aid	174.98	174.98		
Town maintenance	10,000.00	10,820.14		820.14
Street lighting	324.00	270.00	54.00	
Sidewalk construction	500.00	121.20	378.80	
Sewer maintenance	500.00	274.65	225.35	
New equipment	2,500.00	3,229.39		729.39
Libraries	1,100.00	1,100.00		
Old age assistance	3,600.00	3,926.79		326.79
Town poor	1,000.00	276.80	723.20	
Memorial Day expense	100.00	100.00		
Parks & playgrounds	500.00	475.00	25.00	
Cemeteries	375.00	319.45	55.55	
County tax	9,886.77	9,886.77		
Interest	100.00	385.83		285.83
	\$41,830.75	\$43,614.61	\$1,572.85	\$3,356.91
Net overdraft on appropriations				\$1,783.86

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash: In hands of Treasurer	\$11,212.64
Credit: State and town T. R. A. account	1,964.09
Checks not deposited before books were closed:	
1947 Refund from precinct treasurer	2,000.00
1947 Balance share from Northfield for Police department expense	120.42
1947 Check from postmaster for Post Office rent	375.00
Taxes: Uncollected as per tax collector's report	16,877.93
Total assets	<u>\$32,550.08</u>

BALANCE SHEET

LIABILITIES

Orders outstanding	\$163.35
Due School District	
1947 Dog Taxes	311.60
1947 Balance of appropriation	22,862.77
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Total Liabilities	\$23,337.72
Excess of assets over liabilities	\$9,212.36

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall and lot	\$35,000.00
Furniture and equipment	5,000.00
Highway department, land and buildings	2,000.00
Highway Department, equipment	11,000.00
Highway department, materials and supplies	1,000.00
Property acquired by tax deed	
10 Acre Sprout land lot in Gulf	50.00
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	\$54,050.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received for 1947 dog licenses	\$361.00
Received for 1946-1947 auto permits	48.61
Received for 1947-1948 auto permits	2,717.82
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	\$3,127.43
Paid Charles E. Smith, Treasurer	\$3,127.43

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

R. B. CHALMERS

Levy of 1942

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1947

Poll Taxes \$8.00

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Uncollected Taxes \$8.00

Levy of 1943

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1947

Poll Taxes \$22.00

Interest Collected 2.44

Total debits \$24.44

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer

Poll Taxes \$6.00

Interest collected 2.44

Uncollected Poll Taxes 16.00

Total credits \$24.44

Levy of 1944

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1947

Poll Taxes \$128.00

Interest collected	4.55	
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Total debits		\$132.55

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Remittances to Treasurer		
Poll Taxes	\$18.00	
Interest collected	4.55	
Uncollected Taxes	110.00	
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Total credits		\$132.55

Levy of 1945

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1947		
Poll Taxes	\$175.00	
Poll Taxes—over and above	118.00	
Interest Collected	.93	
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Total Debits		\$293.93

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer		
Poll Taxes	\$123.00	
Interest Collected	.93	
Uncollected Taxes	170.00	
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Total credits		\$293.93

Levy of 1946

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1947		
Property Taxes	\$6,600.25	
Poll Taxes	436.00	
Interest collected	151.55	
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Total debit		\$7,187.80

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer		
Property Taxes	\$6,435.76	
Poll Taxes	174.00	
Interest collected	151.55	
Abatements	116.75	
Uncollected Taxes		
Poll Taxes	242.00	
Property Taxes	67.74	
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Total credits		\$7,187.80

Levy of 1947

Dr.

Taxes committed to Collector		
Property Taxes	\$97,877.01	
Poll Taxes	1,756.00	
Interest Collected	13.90	
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Total debits		\$99,646.91

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Remittances to Treasurer		
Property Taxes	\$79,522.98	
Poll Taxes	1,152.00	
Interest Collected	13.90	
Discounts Allowed	1,466.10	
Abatements	86.00	
Uncollected Taxes		
Property Taxes	16,887.93	
Poll Taxes	518.00	
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Total credits		\$99,646.91

SUMMARY OF ALL PAYMENTS TO TREASURER

Year	Property	Polls	Interest	Total
1943		\$6.00	\$2.44	\$8.44
1944		18.00	4.55	22.55
1945		123.00	.93	123.93
1946	\$6,435.76	174.00	151.55	6,761.31
1947	79,522.98	1,152.00	13.90	80,688.88
	\$85,958.74	\$1,473.00	\$173.37	\$87,605.11

DETAIL OF ALL TAXES DUE TOWN

JANUARY 1, 1948

Year	Property	Polls	Total
1942		\$8.00	\$8.00
1943		16.00	16.00
1944		110.00	110.00
1945		170.00	170.00
1946	\$67.74	242.00	309.74
1947	16,887.93	518.00	17,405.93
	<hr/> \$16,955.67	\$1,064.00	\$18,019.67

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Balance on hand at beginning of year	\$10,759.92
Receipts	
R. B. Chalmers, Tax Collector, Taxes,	87,605.11
R. B. Chalmers, Town Clerk, Dog Tax	361.00
R. B. Chalmers, Town Clerk, Auto Taxes	2,766.43
Judge J. W. Crawford, Police Court	635.80
Selectmen, Miscellaneous	6,940.89
State of New Hampshire	
Railroad Tax	354.41
Bank Tax	701.19
Interest and Dividends	3,080.79
Citizens National and Iona Savings Bank,	
Borrowed Money	25,000.00
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	\$138,205.54
Payments	
Selectmen's Orders Paid	126,992.90
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Balance on hand in Citizens National Bank	
Dec. 31, 1947	\$11,212.64
Orders Outstanding:	
No. 1725	\$19.35
No. 1735	25.00
No. 1738	138.00

No. 1510

1.00

\$183.35

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. E. SMITH,

Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

Robert B. Chalmers, tax collector	\$87,605.11
J. W. Crawford, justice municipal court	635.80
Robert B. Chalmers, auto taxes	2,766.43
Robert B. Chalmers, dog taxes	361.00
Interest and dividends tax	3,080.79
Railroad tax	354.41
Savings bank tax	701.19
Sale of town property	150.00
Rent of town property	996.00
Rent of town equipment and sale of sand	2,118.32
Business Licenses	24.00
Rubbish collections	1,426.29
Refund for cemeteries	77.00
Refund on bounties	11.00
Bank stock tax	30.00
Refund on telephone	9.23
Refund on forest fires	681.20
Refund on O. A. A.	85.15
Temporary Loan	25,000.00
Return from State on O. A. A.	114.33
Refund from Court	8.12
Refund from patient at County Farm	9.00
Town of Northfield towards Police Department share	1,200.00
Interest refund	1.25
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	\$127,445.62
Cash on hand, January 1, 1947	10,759.92
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	\$138,205.54

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$2,090.00
Town officers' expenses	1,533.56
Election and registration	113.52
Municipal court	153.00
Town hall	2,348.13

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	4,561.47
Outside fires	1,396.75
Damage by dogs	49.40

Health:

District Nurse Association	1,100.00
Laconia Hospital	200.00
Health Officer and supplies	33.00
Vital statistics	77.60
Rubbish collections	1,046.75
Sewer maintenance	274.65

Highways and Bridges:

Town road aid	174.98
General town maintenance	12,207.37
Street lighting outside precinct	270.00

Libraries:

Hall Memorial Library	1,100.00
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Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day	100.00
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Public Welfare:

Town Poor	276.80
Old Age assistance	3,926.79

Recreation :	
Parks and playgrounds	475.00
Public Service Enterprises :	
Cemeteries	319.45
Unclassified :	
Commission on auto permits	357.25
Bounties on hedgehogs	.50
Taxes bought by town	16.64
Interest :	
Paid on temporary loan	385.83
Outlay for Permanent Improvements :	
New equipment	3,229.39
Sidewalks	121.20
Indebtedness :	
Payment on temporary loan	25,000.00
Outstanding orders paid	350.00
Payments to other Governmental Divisions :	
Special poll taxes paid State	138.00
Taxes paid to County	9,886.77
Payments to Fire Precinct	12,999.70
Payments to School District	40,862.75
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	\$126,826.25

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL 1—Town Officers' Salaries

Myron L. Meserve, Selectman	\$550.00
Joseph D. Robert, Selectman	450.00
Joseph L. Ledoux, Selectman	350.00
Robert B. Chalmers, Tax Collector	500.00
Charles E. Smith, Treasurer	100.00
Robert B. Chalmers, Town Clerk	100.00
Helen Y. Andrews, Auditor	20.00
Henry A. Robert, Auditor	20.00
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	\$2,090.00

DETAIL 2—Town Officers' Expenses

Tilton Post Office, Box rent, postage and envelopes	\$107.62
Bond for Town Treasurer	40.00
W. R. Morrison, printing town reports	711.90
Charles French, supplies	.85
Joseph L. Ledoux, expenses	20.00
Myron L. Meserve, expenses	76.75
Belknap County Register of Deeds Office, transfer cards	11.80
Brown & Saltmarsh, book supplies	60.86
Fred Boynton, Postmaster, box rent	3.00
W. R. Morrison, printing tax bills	35.55
R. B. Chalmers, postage and supplies	64.00
N. H. Association of Tax Assessors	2.00
Shirley M. Andrews, copying tax book and typing town report	35.00

Telephone expense for selectmen's office	9.01
Elizabeth Sanborn, transfer cards	46.00
Register of Deeds Office	4.53
Citizens National Bank, rent of safe deposit box for Trust Funds	9.00
H. A. Manning Co., Tilton-Northfield Directory	12.50
Towne & Robie, advertising meetings	4.15
R. B. Chalmers, bonds for tax collector	91.45
R. B. Chalmers, bonds for town officers	90.00
N. H. City & Town Clerks Association dues	2.00
N. H. Association of Tax Assessors dues	2.00
George Kidder, making out deeds	4.00
Register of Probate, filing names of deceased persons	.40
Edson Eastman Co., supplies	5.55
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association	2.00
Wheeler & Clark, dog tax book	21.64
Ned C. Rogers, Trustee of Trust Funds, salary, postage, and clerical work	60.00
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	\$1,533.56

DETAIL 3—Election and Registration

Joel E. Nordholm, Supervisor of check list	\$24.50
Arthur Bacon, Supervisor of check list	24.50
Helen Andrews, Supervisor of check list	24.50
Tilton Colonial Inn, meals for officers at Town Meeting	25.50
Fred A. Smart, Moderator, 1947 meeting	5.00
Arthur Johnson, Ballot Clerk, 1947 meeting	4.00
Hazel Robert, Ballot Clerk, 1947 meeting	4.00
Fred Boynton, postage	1.52
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	\$113.52

DETAIL 4—Municipal Court

Judge John W. Crawford, 1947 salary	\$150.00
Judge John W. Crawford, 1947 expense	3.00
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	\$153.00

DETAIL 5—Expenses of Town Hall

Tilton & Northfield Aqueduct Co., water bill for 1947	\$18.10
Mrs. John Shaw, repairs on oil burner	3.91
Charles French, repairing Town Hall	30.00
Frank P. Lawrence, repairing seats at Town Hall	22.40
Charles French, labor on Town Hall roof	4.00
Myron L. Meserve, supplies for Town Hall	1.38
Public Service Co., repairs on water cooler in post office	55.26
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co., water bill	18.10
Merlin Cook, installing lights in post office	84.99
Shepherd Furniture Store, flooring for Select- men's office	101.76
Lewis Reed, repairing light	1.88
Frank Dubia, repairs on Town Hall roof	7.00
Philip Spaulding, tuning piano	17.00
R. B. Chalmers, insurance on town hall	152.42
Myron L. Meserve, supplies for town hall	1.40
Julius Udoff, oil for Town Hall	265.95
Public Service Co., lighting	278.20
Bryant & Lawrence, supplies	373.55
N. E. Telephone Co., telephone service	36.21
George Greenwood, repairs at Town Hall	30.13
Tilton Coal & Supply Co., oil for Town Hall	134.47
Harold Thompson, oil for Town Hall	360.02

Frank Dubia, painting Town Post Office	220.00
Frank Dubia, repairing roof at Town Hall	30.00
Joseph D. Robert, janitor	100.00
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	\$2,348.13

DETAIL, 6—Police Department
January 1, 1947 to April 1947

Frank Lawrence, repairing police chairs	\$2.60
Shepherd Furniture Store, window shade	2.00
N. E. Telephone Co., telephone service	32.55
Bryant & Lawrence, supplies	4.57
Frank Twombly, police work	181.80
Lawrence Dubia, police work	106.20
Achber's Store, overcoat for police dept.	71.00
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	\$400.72

Tilton-Northfield Police Department
April 1947 to January 1, 1948

Robert Brown, police duty	\$28.80
Walter Buczynski, police duty	1,778.51
Lawrence Dubia, police duty	1,790.86
Walter Daniels, police duty	73.00
Frank Twombly, police duty	19.80
Legal service	10.00
Printing	43.70
Internal Revenue payments	27.90
Medical service	10.00
Lunches for searching party (Fire Dept.)	22.65
Repairs	11.00
Telephone service	98.11
Supplies and equipment	240.42

Taxi service	6.00
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	\$4,160.75
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Net cost to Town of Tilton, \$2,773.83	
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Net cost to Town of Northfield, \$1,386.83	
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Total Police costs for 1947	\$4,561.47
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DETAIL 7—Town Fires

Glendon Lockwood, Warden Salary, 1943-1948	\$125.00
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Roy Jordan, Fire Chief, Outside Precinct, 1947	25.00
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Roy Jordan, payroll for Forest Fire Patrol	45.99
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Pacific Marine Supply Co., repairs to fire truck	46.88
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New Hampshire Forestry Dept., batteries	1.63
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Two fires at Anchor Inn	11.20
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Appropriation to Winnisquam Fire Dept.	300.00
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Forest Fire at Silver Lake	89.85
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Forest Fire at Newbury, N. H.	671.15
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Forest Fires	80.05
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	\$1,396.75
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DETAIL 8—Bounties Paid

Myron L. Meserve, refund on bounties paid	\$.50
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DETAIL 9—Damage by Dogs

R. B. Chalmers, dog license fees	\$29.40
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Walter Daniels, Dog Officer	20.00
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	\$49.40
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DETAIL 10—Health Department

District Nurse Association, 1947 appropriation	\$1,100.00
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Laconia Hospital, 1947 appropriation	200.00
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Joseph D. Robert, Health officer	25.00
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Joseph D. Robert, expense as Health officer	8.00
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	\$1,333.00
DETAIL 11—Vital Statistics	
R. B. Chalmers, recording vital statistics	\$76.10
T. H. Huckins, recording vital statistics	1.50
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	\$77.60
DETAIL 12—Sewer Maintenance	
George Daniels, Sewer Maintenance	\$274.65
DETAIL 13—Rubbish Collections	
George Daniels, payroll	\$1,046.75
DETAIL 14—Town Road Aid	
State of New Hampshire, Town's share, town road aid	\$174.98
DETAIL 15—Town Maintenance	
George Daniels, Road Agent	
January 1, 1947 to January 1, 1948	
George Daniels, payroll	\$7,387.40
Central Garage, gas, oil and repairs	124.71
Robert's Service Station, gas and oil	597.69
Public Service Co., lights at town garage	9.00
Bryant & Lawrence, supplies	109.30
C. A. Dorval, parts for trucks	65.23
George Greenwood & Sons, labor and supplies	67.47
Ken's Service Station, gas and oil	58.04
Granite State Garage, gas, oil and repairs	127.26
Ralph H. Smith Co., supplies	68.60
Maud's Lunch, gas and oil	9.38
Charles Marden, repairing trucks	21.60
Forrest Glines, gas and oil	151.36
Collector of Internal Revenue	424.20

F. S. Willey Co., express on parts	1.68
Harry Pellerin, rent of shed for storing sand	50.00
Udoff Motors Co., gas and oil	225.56
H. J. Thompson, coal for highway garage	79.35
City of Franklin, gravel and asphalt	59.05
John Colby, welding machinery	7.50
R. C. Hazelton Co., balance on plow	25.00
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co.	31.00
Theodore Adams, sharpening lawn mowers	9.30
Benoit's Filling Station, gas and oil	6.40
Jones Express Co., express on parts	1.70
F. P. Welch Co., express charges	15.24
Nobel Belisle Machinery Co., supplies	80.80
N. H. Explosives and Machine Co., supplies	205.87
State of New Hampshire, calcium	66.00
Allied Steel Co., cross chains	146.65
Chemical Corporation, 15 tons rock salt	226.50
International Harvester Co., radiator core	44.21
Center Harbor Garage, clearing sand pit	194.00
Chalmers Insurance Agency, Workmen's, truck and garage insurance	405.03
Tropical Paint and Oil Co.	9.80
Dyar Sales and Machinery Co., supplies	105.00
J. I. Halcomb Mfg. Co., supplies	14.40
Roy Wiggett, grates for heater at Highway Dept.	24.56
Hedge & Matthis Co., snow fence	95.00
The Chemical Salt Co., salt supply	250.50
N. H. Prison Industries, crushed stone	12.00
Hebert Mfg Co., supplies	1.75
Walter Daniels, plank for bridge	27.66
Clarence Pickard, loam for Highway Dept.	10.00

B & M R. R., freight on supplies	2.72
Gale's Insurance Co., insurance on truck	28.21
Thomas Daniels, plank and lumber	51.60
Pellisier's Garage, snow scoop	400.00
C. P. Stevens, supplies	41.45
Tilton Hardware Store, supplies	12.79
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	\$12,207.37
Rent of equipment and sale of sand	2,118.32
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Total Town Maintenance for year	\$10,089.05
DETAIL 16—Street Lighting, Outside Precinct	
Public Service Co., street lighting	\$270.00
DETAIL 17—Libraries	
Hall Memorial Library, 1947 appropriation	\$1,100.00
DETAIL 18—Town Poor	
Paid for town poor	\$226.80
Joseph D. Robert, Overseer of Poor	50.00
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	\$276.80
DETAIL 19—Old Age Assistance	
Town's share, 1947 old age assistance	\$3,926.79
DETAIL 20—Memorial Day Expense	
American Legion, 1947 appropriation	\$100.00
DETAIL 21—Parks and Playgrounds	
Tilton-Northfield Recreation Committee	\$200.00
Lloyd Hosmer, cleaning monuments	275.00
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	\$475.00
DETAIL 22—Cemeteries	
George Daniels, payroll, care of cemeteries	\$109.45

Rev. C. P. Buckley, treasurer, 1947 appropriation to St. John's Cemetery	85.00
Mrs. M. B. Allen, 1947 appropriation to Park Cemetery	125.00

\$319.45

DETAIL 23—Auto Permits

R. B. Chalmers, Commission on 1947 auto permits	\$357.25
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DETAIL 24—Taxes Bought by Town

R. B. Chalmers, collector, for taxes bought by town	\$16.64
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DETAIL 25—Interest

Paid for temporary loans	\$385.83
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DETAIL 26—Sidewalks

George Daniels, payroll on sidewalk work	\$121.20
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DETAIL 27—New Equipment

Granite State Garage, International Truck	\$2,763.65
N. H. Explosive & Machine Co., tar kettle	465.74

\$3,229.39

DETAIL 28—Temporary Loans

Citizens National Bank, loan	\$10,000.00
Iona Savings Bank, loan	15,000.00

\$25,000.00

DETAIL 29—Outstanding Orders

1947 Orders outstanding, paid in 1947	\$350.00
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DETAIL 30—Special Poll Taxes

State Treasurer, paid on special poll taxes	\$138.00
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DETAIL 31—County Tax	
County Treasurer, paid 1947 tax to Belknap	
County	\$9,886.77
DETAIL 32—Tilton-Northfield Fire District	
Brackett C. Hill, treasurer, Tilton's 1947 ap-	
propriation to Fire District	\$10,999.70
Overpaid one payment	2,000.00
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	\$12,999.70

DETAIL 33—Tilton and Northfield	
SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Ned C. Rogers, Treasurer, balance 1946 appro-	
priation	\$8,540.75
Ned C. Rogers, treasurer, 1946 Dog Tax	322.00
Ned C. Rogers, treasurer, on 1947 School	
appropriation	32,000 00
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	\$40,862.75
Total payments	\$126,826.25

Respectfully submitted,

MYRON L. MESERVE,
JOSEPH D. ROBERT,
JOSEPH L. LEDOUX,

Selectmen of Tilton.

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

Payrolls:

Bailey, George	\$876.00
Bell, Edward	19.20
Bell, Louis	.450
Belair, Victor	18.75
Bickford, Kenneth	3.50
Bickford, Paul	3.50
Colby, Jerry	358.05
Daniels, George	2,063.30
Daniels, Thomas	78.00
Davis, Archie	26.50
Dean, Charles, Jr.	3.00
Deforge, Frank	523.70
Durgin, Fred	26.25
Gile, Raymond	17.90
Golden Rule Farm	104.50
Griffin, Robert	4.00
Harbour, Herbert	26.00
Huckins, Perley	1,128.60
Lamanuzzi, Cammillo	12.00
Langlais, Roland	35.20
Laplante, Albert	5.75
Lockwood, James	4.50
Morrill, Franklin	4.50
Morrill, Fred	73.45
Riley, Robert	518.60
Rogers, George	412.30

Shaw, Donald	3.50
Sheehan, John	189.50
Sleeper, Robert	8.25
Smith, Robert	38.65
Tucker, Fred	32.25
Valliere, Archie	1,015.10
Whitehouse, George	1,273.65
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	\$8,912.45

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. DANIELS,

Road Agent.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Having examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Road Agent, and Trustees of Trust Funds for the year ending December 31, 1947, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HELEN Y. ANDREWS,

HENRY A. ROBERT,

Auditors.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF TILTON, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1947

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation			How invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. of Income on hand at be- ginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at end of year
	Trust Funds	No.	Donor	Purpose—Care of						
March 18, 1889 Feb 20, 1942	Park Cemetery	1	Park Cemetery	Park Cemetery	\$366.00			6.78		
					1520.00			96.00		
					761.00			45.00		147.78
Mar 18, 1889	John Mooney	2	"	Lot	11.40			.25		
Mar 17, 1942	Park Cemetery	3	"	"	500.00			12.50		12.75
Jan 3, 1896					45.00			.85		
Feb 24, 1942	Mary Baker Eddy	4	"	"	455.00			21.50		22.35
Jan 29, 1896	Park Cemetery	5	"	"	500.00			12.50		12.53
Dec 26, 1942					83.75			1.37		
Feb 7, 1896					416.25			18.00		19.37
Feb 24, 1942	"	6	"	"	500.00			12.50		12.54
May 12, 1897	"	7	"	"	19.27			.37		
Dec 26, 1942	"	8	"	"	500.00			12.50		12.87
Oct 1, 1897	"							.04		
Mar 17, 1942	"	9	"	"	500.00			12.50		12.54
Aug 2, 1898	"	10	"	"	500.00			12.50		12.56
Dec 26, 1942	"				72.37			1.17		
July 2, 1902	"				500.00			12.50		13.67
Feb 1944	"				100.00			1.50		1.59
May 27, 1916	Augusta W Clough	11	"	"	50.00			.76		.76
May 27, 1916	Charles E Durgin	12	"	"	203.00			3.01		3.01
May 27, 1916	Harriet C Tilton	13	"	"	100.00			1.50		1.50
May 27, 1916	C W Quimby	14	"	"	10.00			.26		
May 27, 1916	Park Cemetery	15	"	"	290.00			12.00		12.26
June 1, 1900					200.00			3.01		3.01
Aug 8, 1945	Hannah Page	16		"	200.00			3.01		3.01
Aug 14, 1905	Joseph Philbrick	17	Hannah Page	"	152.00			2.40		
Jan 15, 1909	Hannah Curry	18	Joseph Philbrick	"	348.00			14.40		16.80
April 7, 1898	James P Osborne	19	Hannah Curry	"						
June 30, 1896			James P Osborne	"						
Aug 8, 1945				"						

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS CONTINUED

Feb 15, 1916	Jeremiah Calef	20	Jeremiah B Calef	Lot Park Cemetery	Iona Savings Bank, Book No. 9,374	100.00		1.50	1.50
Jan 1902	Mary V Lyford	21	Mary V Lyford	East Tilton "	5,381	100.00		1.50	1.50
June 1906	Zelenda Lancaster	22	Zelenda Lancaster	Lot, Sanborn Rd Cem	6,583	50.00	2.97	3.00	.76
Apr 5, 1913	Orren W Clark	23	Orren W Clark		8,552	10.00		.29	
Aug 4, 1941		24	Josiah Dearborn	Lot, East Tilton Cem	3 shs Great American Ins stock	90.00	7.42	3.60	5.00
Apr 5, 1913	Josiah Dearborn	25	Abigail B Tilton	Deserving poor	Iona Savings Bank Book No 8,553	25.00	2.51	.41	
Mar 8, 1941					11,738	1029.45		18.78	6.31
Apr 8, 1941					10 shs Consumers Power A13021	1063.00		45.00	1.32
Apr 8, 1941					40 shs Shawmut Nat Bank Boston	1063.00		40.00	
Apr 8, 1941					40 shs N H Fire Ins Co	1940.00		86.00	
Apr 8, 1941					Iona Savings Bank Book No 13168	5.35	136.85	1.42	326.63
June 30, 1869	School and Parsonage	26		1/2 churches 1/2 schools	20 shs Corn Exchange Bank N Y	960.00		56.00	
Apr 8, 1941					20 shs First Nat Bank Boston 183425	960.00		45.00	
"					3 shs Mfg Trust Co N Y	174.00		7.20	
"					22 shs Bank of America	1067.00		44.00	153.62
Feb 7, 1946		27	W C Wyatt, Admr	Lot Town Cemetery	Iona Savings Bank Book No 9756	100.00	6.63	.14	5.00
Jan 20, 1917	Taylor Jefferson	28	T F Clifford, Admr	Lot Park "	10 shs Rockland Li't Power Co	100.00		1.50	1.50
Aug 8, 1941		29	W C Wyatt, Admr	Lot Town "	Iona Savings Bank Book No 10436	100.00		.23	
Aug 5, 1918	Mary D Haynes	30	David T W Clark	Lot "Danforth" Cem	10 shs Rockland Li't Power Co	100.00	13.15	5.00	4.00
Nov 12, 1918	Thomas Jones	31	Mrs O T Batchelder	Lot Park Cemetery	Iona Savings Bank Book No 12182	20.16	10.03	.51	
Aug 8, 1941		32	Mrs Cora E Taylor	"	6 shs Great American Ins Co	180.00		7.20	10.00
Sept 10, 1941		33	John A Jaquith, Admr	"	Iona Savings Bank Book	1029.45		1.50	1.50
Aug 5, 1941	Mrs O T Batchelder	34	W B Fellows	"	"	103.29		1.65	1.65
Jan 30, 1920	Jeremiah E Smith	35	Park Cemetery	"	"	223.04		3.35	3.35
Feb 20, 1920	Wm B Fellows	36	"	"	"	115.03		1.72	1.72
March 25, 1921	Betsey C Cass	37	"	"	"	50.00		.76	.76
June 27, 1921	Carry W Perkins	38	"	"	"	50.00		.76	.76
"	H H Haynes	39	"	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
"	Abbie Atherton	40	"	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
"	Andrew B Davis	41	"	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
Nov 28, 1922	L P Clough	42	M Josaphene Forrest	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
March 10, 1923	Joseph C Wyatt	43	A C Wyatt	"	"	104.58		1.57	1.57
July 3, 1924	Julia F Buell	44	Frank P Tilton, Admr	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
Oct 1, 1924	Sarah P Comerford	45	Charles A Piper	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
Aug 1, 1925	Park Cemetery	46	Hermon C Osgood	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
Sept 4, 1925	Fred E Osgood	47	Walter C Wyatt	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
Oct 23, 1925	Adithson B Wyatt	48	Mary E Richardson	"	"	200.00		3.01	3.01
Nov 2, 1925	Mary E Richardson	49	Park Cemetery	"	"	100.00		1.50	1.50
Nov 12, 1925	B C Batchelder			"	"	50.00		.76	.76

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS CONTINUED

Nov	12, 1925	Harriet T. Tripp	50	Park Cemetery	Lot Park Cemetery	Iona Savings Bank Book	\$100.00		1.50	1.50
		C B Garmon	51	"	"	11,331	200.00		3.01	3.01
		Reuben G. Hoyt	52	"	"	11,332	100.00		1.50	1.50
		*Daniel H. Clement	53	"	"	11,333	100.00		3.01	3.01
		John S. Sargent	54	"	"	11,334	200.00		.76	.76
		Amos Morrison	55	"	"	11,335	50.00		1.50	1.50
		Mary O. Hill	56	"	"	11,390	100.00		1.50	1.50
May	14, 1927	Cora F. Morrison	57	"	"	11,687	100.00		2.05	2.05
May	28, 1927	Martha C. Russell	58	"	"	14,563	136.88		1.50	1.50
June	16, 1927	Willis E. Bickford	59	"	"	14,580	100.00		1.50	1.50
June	23, 1927	Allen Family	60	"	"	14,605	200.00		3.01	3.01
Aug	31, 1927	Sarah J. Stevens	61	"	"	14,615	100.00		1.50	1.50
Jan	23, 1927	Luthera T. Jasper	62	"	"	14,698	100.00		1.50	1.50
Feb	23, 1928	Frederick Osgood	63	"	"	14,838	100.00		1.50	1.50
June	19, 1928	William Waugh	64	"	"	14,861	100.00		1.50	1.50
June	19, 1928	George E. Knapp	65	"	"	14,949	100.00		1.50	1.50
Aug	30, 1928	Sarah E. Gorrell	66	"	"	14,950	100.00		1.50	1.50
Sept	5, 1928	Fred E. Thorpe	67	"	"	15,461	100.00		1.50	1.50
Jan	10, 1929	Jane Wheeler	68	"	"	15,464	200.00		3.01	3.01
May	25, 1929	Sevira Streeter	69	"	"	16,601	50.00		.76	.76
		Charles Kelscy	70	"	"	14,066	200.00		3.01	3.01
July	2, 1929	Charlotte A. Kimball	71	"	"	13,758	50.00		.76	.76
		George P. Cross	72	"	"	15,708	200.00		3.01	3.01
		Nellie S. Chase	73	"	"	15,738	50.00		.76	.76
		Nellie S. Chase	74	"	"	15,739	50.00		.76	.76
		Park Cemetery	75	"	"	15,740	100.00		1.50	1.50
August	22, 1929	Elizabeth M. Page	76	"	"	15,793	500.00	15.00	7.75	15.00
Jan	17, 1930	Harry Taylor	77	"	"	15,925	100.00		1.50	1.50
Dec	1, 1930	John D. Lang	78	"	"	15,350	100.00		1.50	1.50
May	16, 1930	Addie Conant	79	"	"	15,996	100.00		1.50	1.50
Aug	9, 1930	F. A. Rollins	80	"	"	15,268	100.00		1.50	1.50
Aug	11, 1930	Filmore Welch	81	"	"	15,269	100.00		1.50	1.50
July	27, 1931	Mary O. Holmes	82	"	"	16,081	100.00		1.50	1.50
July	10, 1931	Mary O. Holmes	83	"	"	16,082	100.00		.19	.19
Aug	8, 1941	Abbie S. Weeks	84	"	"	16,140	100.00	10.15	5.00	10.00
Oct	5, 1931	Gilman Sanborn	85	"	"	16,164	100.00		1.50	1.50
Oct	28, 1931	Eva O. Sanborn	86	"	"	16,165	100.00		1.50	1.50
June	10, 1932	Robert McAlister	87	"	"	16,282	100.00		1.50	1.50
July	1, 1932	Mary O. Taylor	88	"	"	16,284	100.00		1.50	1.50
Jan	25, 1933	Fannie Collins	89	"	"	16,374	200.00		3.01	3.01
July	14, 1931	W. Smith Hill		Arthur Hill		19,665	200.00		.06	.06
						2-5 U S Savings Bond D1137934G			5.00	5.06

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS CONTINUED

No.	Name	Lot	Book	Page	Amount	Interest	Total
22, 1922	Fred Morrison	90	Sara Morrison	Lot Park Cemetery	16,347	50.00	16,347
31, 1933	Moses Morrill	91	Ruben Morrill	"	16,392	100.00	16,392
28, 1933	Frank Hill	92	Geo F Emerson, Admr	"	16,499	67.25	16,499
1, 1941	Sara F Wheeler	93	Thos P Cheeney Excut	"	16,540	132.75	16,540
8, 1934	Edward M Drake	94	Almira H Drake	"	16,552	100.00	16,552
22, 1934	Mark G Kears	95	E R Gale Excut	"	16,566	75.00	16,566
10, 1933	Harry & Doris Chase	96	Park Cemetery Asso	"	16,399	50.00	16,399
20, 1933	Myrna S Plummer	97	Horace Wheaton Excut	"	16,644	800.00	16,644
15, 1933	Chas R Gould	98	Park Cemetery Asso	"	16,405	100.00	16,405
12, 1934	A Josephine Ladd	99	"	"	16,536	50.00	16,536
19, 1934	Horace F Lane	100	"	"	16,515	100.00	16,515
20, 1935	Joseph Hill	101	Florence Laycock	"	16,703	100.00	16,703
29, 1934	Katherine C Hunt	102	Katherine C Hunt	"	16,722	50.00	16,722
28, 1934	Ida Heath	103	Ida Heath Est	"	16,554	100.00	16,554
29, 1935	C C Sampson	104	Cong'l Church	"	16,748	50.00	16,748
30, 1936	Chas F Plastringe	105	F C Plastringe, Admr	"	16,855	100.00	16,855
2, 1936	Luther V Powers	106	L V Powers, by will	"	16,881	300.00	16,881
30, 1936	Selden J Davis	107	S J Davis, by will	"	16,979	200.00	16,979
29, 1937	Ned W Perkins	108	L A and L C Perkins	"	17,128	100.00	17,128
29, 1937	Alfred E Tilton	109	Ella A Tilton, by will	"	17,129	500.00	17,129
29, 1937	Wm W Freeze	110	Ella A Tilton, by will	"	17,130	200.00	17,130
17, 1937	Wm S Neill	111	Mary A Neill	"	17,167	50.00	17,167
2, 1937	Edith M Booth	112	Edith Booth, by will	"	17,210	500.00	17,210
30, 1937	Chas A Towns	113	Chas A Towns, by will	"	17,227	200.00	17,227
12, 1938	Jas & Cynthia Brown	114	S Abbie Whitehead	"	17,300	200.00	17,300
15, 1938	Amos A Moulton	115	Mary Moulton, by will	"	17,452	100.00	17,452
28, 1939	Amos Head Jones	116	Everett A Jones	"	17,450	100.00	17,450
1944	Joseph W Morrison	117	J W Morrison, by will	"	18,429	500.00	18,429
1943	Ludger Belair	118	Ludger Belair, by will	Lot St John Cemetery	U S Defense Bond series G D640997G	500.00	U S Defense Bond series G D640997G
29, 1939	William H Moses	119	Wm H Moses, by will	Lot Park Cemetery	U S Defense Bond series G D994057G	500.00	U S Defense Bond series G D994057G
19, 1939	William H Moses	120	Mrs Cragin Mrs Zellers	"	17,753	300.00	17,753
10, 1940	Cragin-Zellers	121	R L McCook	"	17,754	100.00	17,754
10, 1940	R L McCook	122	Jed W Hunkins	"	37,811	100.00	37,811
11, 1940	Hunkins-Cofran						

REPORT OF 'TRUST' FUNDS CONTINUED

Dec 18, 1940	Elizabeth Herrick	123	Eliz'h Herrick, by will	Lot Park Cemetery	Franklin Savings Bank Book No 37,968	200.00	4.01	4.01	23.00	26.82	23.00
March 25, 1941	Maud t Ellsworth	124	M Ellsworth by will	"	"	500.00	2.82	24.00			
Apr 4, 1940					10 shs Mfg Trust Co N Y						
Apr 29, 1941	Follansby-Haynes	125	C H Follansby by will	"	Franklin Savings Bank Book No 38,214	500.00	10.03	10.03			
Sept 18, 1941	Otis Daniell	126		"	"	60.00	1.43	1.43			
Sept 26, 1941	Bertha A Stevens	127	Bertha Stevens bywill	"	20 shs Rockland Lit Power Cert No 46628	190.00	10.00	13.83	7.40		5.00
Aug 3, 1942	Fred N Clark	128	Leslie C Clark	"	6 shs Mfg Trust Co N Y	246.00	14.41	14.41	9.60		6.00
Aug 10, 1943	Millard F Emery	129	Elizabeth T Emery	"	Iona Savings Bank Book No 18229	12.50	.40	.40			6.00
May 26, 1943	Minnie S Batchelder	130	Minnie S Batchelder	"	30 shs Rockland Lit & Power Co	187.50	15.00	17.40	8.00		6.00
July 27, 1943	Harry C Wyatt	131	Harry C Wyatt	"	U S Defense Bond series G C143 639G	100.00	2.50	2.52			
Oct 2, 1945	Elwin G Cox	132	Elwin G Cox by will	"	U S Savings Bond series G C1554683G	100.00	.02	.02			
Feb 14, 1945	Noah E Weeks	133	Noah E Weeks	"	Iona Savings Bank Book 18514	8.00	.18	.18			
May 21, 1945	Mary R Moulton	134	Mary Moulton by will	"	3 shs Bank of America Cirt E72402, F99081	92.00	6.00	6.18			
June 4, 1945	W C Sargent Estate	135	F R Normandin Admr	"	Iaonia Savings Bank Book No 49988	50.00	1.26	1.26			
June 13, 1945	Elizabeth R Daniels	136	E R Daniels by will	"	Iona Savings Bank Book 18429	200.00	5.00	5.03			
Oct 10, 1945	Chas E Durgin	137	Dena L Durgin by will	"	2 U S Savings Bonds	200.00	.02	.02			
Dec 31, 1945	Ervil A Cole Estate	138	Teusa A Lewis Admx	"	Iona Savings Bond series G No C3761156G	100.00	.01	.01			
March 16, 1946	Maud A Huse	139	Maud A Huse	"	Iona Savings Bank Book 18429	100.00	2.50	2.51			
Apr 23, 1946	Ned C Rogers	140	Ned C Rogers	"	U S Savings Bond series G No C3761157G	100.00	.01	.01			
May 20, 1946	Raymond C Stock	141	Raymond C Stock	"	Iona Savings Bank Book No 19168	39.37	.81	.81			
May 20, 1946	Frank J Phelps	142	Frank J Phelps	"	11 shs Penn Co Stock No F6492	460.63			5.00		7.00
May 20, 1946	Florence M Gale	143	Florence M Gale	"	Iona Savings Bank Book No 19324	50.00	12.00	1.26			
					8 shs Rockland Light & Power Cert 66992	88.00	4.00	4.22			
					Iona Savings Bank Book No 19358	21.00	.44	.44			
					8 shs Bank of America Cert No 79159	279.00	12.00	9.44			3.00
					Iona Savings Bank Book 19437	100.00	.02	.02			
					4 shs American Alliance Ins Co B23224	100.00	4.00	4.02			
					Iona Savings Bank Book 19437	100.00	.02	.02			
					4 shs American Alliance Ins Co B23225	100.00	4.00	4.02			
					Iona Savings Bank Book 19437	200.00	.04	.04			
					8 shs American Alliance Ins Co Cert B23226	200.00	8.00	4.01			

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS CONTINUED

May	24, 1946	Rose B Stevens	144	Rose B Stevens	Lot Park Cemetery	Iona Savings Bank Book 19437	200.00			04	8.04
June	7, 1946	Hazel M Haywood	145	Hazel M Haywood		8 shs American Alliance Ins Co Cert B23256				04	8.04
June	23, 1947	Charlotte S Sanborn	146	Burt C Abbott Admr		Iona Savings Bank Book 19437	250.00			.11	10.11
June	23, 1947	Sara E Stebbins	147	M E Dearborn Admr		10 shs American Alliance Ins Co Cert B23209	12.50			.10	10.11
Oct	10, 1947	Merilla E Houghton	148	M E Dearborn Admr		1-2 Stock Cert No F83288 in the Pennsylvania Co—5 shs	187.50			09	4.10
Oct	10, 1947	Nellie E Dias	149	Harold Dias		Iona Savings Bank Book 19789	12.50			09	4.10
Oct	10, 1947	Cora Flanders	150	Cora Flanders		1-2 Stock Cert No F83288 in the Pennsylvania Co—5 shs	187.50			09	4.10
Nov	10, 1947	Ina M Seymore	151	Ina M Seymore		Iona Savings Bank Book 19898	2.50			09	4.10
						1.3 Stock Cert No 161386 in the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co N Y—1 sh	97.50				
						Iona Savings Bank Book 19898	2.50				
						1-3 Stock Cert No 161386 in the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co N Y—1 sh	97.50				
						Iona Savings Bank Book 19898	2.50				
						1-3 Stock Cert No 161386 in the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co N Y—1 sh	97.50				
						Iona Savings Bank Book 19947	28.58				
						9 shs Great Northern R R Cert No 0130051	371.42				
Totals							37511.90				
							336.03	1,29.47	991.25	494.75	

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1946	\$336.03
Received on Park Cemetery Funds	755.19
St. John Cemetery Fund, No. 118	2.52
Rural Cemeteries	28.36
School & Parsonage Fund No. 26	153.62
A. B. B. Tilton Fund No. 25	189.78
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Total Receipts	\$1,465.50

PAYMENTS

Paid Park Cemetery Association	\$766.61
St. John Cemetery	2.52
Town of Tilton, care Rural Cemeteries	39.00
Mountain View Gardens, flowers	9.50
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	\$817.63

School and Parsonage Fund No. 26:

Union School District	\$76.81
L. M. Bamford	3.26
Myron Berry	4.89
S. R. Walker	16.35
F. H. Shepherd	19.62
Rev. Cornelius P. Buckley	32.69
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	\$153.62

Total Payments	\$971.25
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1947	

Fund No.	22	\$.76
	23	6.31
	24	1.32
	27-29-82	26.49
	25	326.63
	30	7.74
	75	15.00
	97	22.00
	109	10.00
	112	10.00
	117	18.00
	124	23.00
	126	5.00
	127	6.00
	128	6.00
	137	7.00
	140	3.00
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		\$494.25

Park Cemetery Funds Received during the year:

Deed 120	Charlota S. Sanborn	\$200	Fund 146
Deed 121	Sara E. Stebbins	\$200	Fund 147
Deed 122	Merrilla E. Haughton	\$100	Fund 148
Deed 123	Nellie E. Dias	\$100	Fund 149
Deed 124	Cora Flanders	\$100	Fund 150
Deed 125	Ina May Seymore	\$400	Fund 151

Respectfully submitted,

OAKES K. LAWRENCE, Chair.

ROBINSON SHEPARD,

NED C. ROGERS, Treas.

Having examined the foregoing account we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HELEN Y. ANDREWS,
HENRY A. ROBERT,

Auditors.

TILTON-NORTHFIELD LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

Receipts

Balance Feb. 1, 1947	\$97.80
From Hall Memorial Library Trustees	500.00
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Total	\$597.80

Expenditures

175 New Books	\$235.47
1 Book Set	91.05
Bank Box Rent	4.80
24 Magazine Subscriptions	80.75
Binding Books	134.33
Supplies	6.15
Bank Service Charges	1.24
Balance Feb. 1, 1948	44.01
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Total	\$597.80

IONA SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNT

Book No. 12404:

Balance Jan. 1, 1947	\$914.38
Interest June 1, 1947	6.86
Interest Dec. 1, 1947	6.91
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Balance Jan. 1, 1948	\$928.15
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Book No. 16629:

Balance Jan. 1, 1947	\$1,235.17
Interest June 1, 1947	9.26

Interest Dec. 1, 1947	9.33
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Balance Jan. 1, 1948	\$1,253.76
Book No. 16843:	
Balance Jan. 1, 1947	\$1,187.14
Interest June 1, 1947	8.90
Interest Dec. 1, 1947	8.97
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Balance Jan. 1, 1948	\$1,205.01

ALAN B. STEWART,
Treasurer.

HALL MEMORIAL LIBRARY

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

RECEIPTS

Dec. 31, 1946, Balance on hand	\$920.52
Town of Northfield, N. H., balance of 1946 appropriation	600.00
Town of Northfield, N. H., 1947 appropriation in full	1,100.00
Town of Tilton, N. H., 1947 appropriation in full	1,100.00
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, refund on lights	4.95
Total Receipts	<u>\$3,725.47</u>

PAYMENTS

Mary Osgood, Salary as Librarian	\$800.00
Tilton-Northfield Library Association, Alan Stewart, Treas.	500.00
George Fisher, Services as janitor	200.00
Geo. Greenwood, cost of new furnace and repairs	578.31
Gale's Insurance Agency, insurance premiums	103.00
H. J. Thompson, fuel	85.50
Tilton Coal and Supply Co., fuel	49.77
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, cost of light fixtures	61.29
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity for year	31.84
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co., water rent	14.00
Central Garage & Supply Co., seed and fertilizer	13.70
L. J. Dubia, assistance to janitor	7.50
W. E. Andrews, repairs to lights	5.00

Connolly Greenhouses, flowers for urn	3.50
Lewis Read, repairs to lights	3.30
Perley Huckins, assistance to janitor	3.00
Ted Adams, repairs to lawn mower	1.50
Harry Knox, supplies for lights	1.04
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Total Payments	\$2,462.25
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Balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1947	\$1,263.22
Savings Account No. 546—Elizabeth A. Herrick Fund, in memory of her father and mother, the Rev. Marcellus A. Herrick and Hannah Putnam Herrick.	
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946	\$1,070.91
April and October, 1947 dividend	16.10
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Balance on hand December 31st, 1947	\$1,087.01
Savings Account No. 788—Mittie Louise Emery Fund	
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946	\$2,040.25
April and October, 1947 dividend	30.71
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Balance on hand December 31st, 1947	\$2,070.96
Savings Account No. 15799—Elizabeth Page Fund	
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946	\$2,223.23
June and December, 1947 dividend	33.46
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Balance on hand December 31st, 1947	\$2,256.69
Savings Account No. 17448—Joseph W. Morrison Fund	
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946	\$2,283.88
June and December, 1947 dividend	34.38
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Balance on hand December 31st, 1947	\$2,318.26

WALTER B. HILL,
CLARA D. FELLOWS,
C. S. COTTON,

Trustees.

TILTON AND NORTHFIELD FIRE DISTRICT WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of Tilton Fire District, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Tilton Town Hall, Friday, March 12, 1948, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose three firewards for the ensuing year.
5. To choose an auditor for the ensuing year.
6. To hear the reports of the treasurer and firewards and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To see what action the district will vote to take in regard to renewing the lighting contract and raise money for same.
8. To see what action the district will vote to take in regard to renewing the water contract for hydrants and raise money for same.
9. To see how much money the district will vote to raise for the pay of administration, firemen, and other incidental expenses.
10. To see if the district will vote to pay the Citizens National Bank the sum of \$2,000, and interest for Precinct note due as of July 19, 1948.

11. To see if the district will vote to renew in full Precinct note held by Iona Savings Bank in sum of \$2000. due on July 19, 1948 and pay interest due on same when and if renewed.

12. To see if the district will vote to purchase two new Fire Alarm Boxes to replace present old boxes and raise money for same.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

ARTHUR A. COVIEO,
ROY A. JORDAN,
H. HOWARD ALIEFF,
Firewards.

TILTON AND NORTHFIELD FIRE PRECINCT

To the Inhabitants of Tilton and Northfield:

In submitting this annual report, it is a pleasure to enlighten you with a brief summary of the many activities within the precinct under our jurisdiction during the past year.

After considerable delay, the Stand Pipes have been installed on the upper and lower bridges between the two towns; and according to Chief Jordan, they are working very effectively and will provide additional protection for the business section when necessity arises, as they can be put into use immediately regardless of weather conditions. We are very fortunate in having the river located as it is for it provides an ideal location for the Stand Pipes.

The Rescue Car has been purchased and has been used most effectively on many occasions. Although not fully equipped as originally planned. It is our desire to complete the equipment necessary for a car of this nature just as soon as we can purchase the various articles, many of which are limited in the market, and then again the excessive prices are a draw-back.

We are pleased to state that a large amount of time has been spent in repairing the wires of the Fire Alarm System, and that two new Fire Alarm Boxes have been installed. We are in hopes that the district will vote to purchase two new boxes this year and each succeeding

year until all of the old style boxes have been replaced with new modern boxes. This is actually a necessity and should be given due consideration.

The members of Engine 1 and Engine 2 made their yearly inspection of the homes within the Precinct, and we are pleased to inform you that the report cards presented upon completion of the inspection were most satisfactory and very vividly show that you citizens are all fire conscious, and that you most graciously accepted the information given you by the firemen who visited your homes. Your co-operation has been the means and assistance in decreasing the number of fires nearly 50% under that of the previous year.

The businessmen are also to be congratulated on their fine cooperation which they have given the firewards in keeping their business premises free and clear of all waste material that might cause a fire.

The greatest conflagration during the past year was the fire at the Presby Block which destroyed the full second floor and did considerable smoke and water damage to the several stores on the main floor. When this fire was first viewed from the street, it was the general census of opinion that the whole structure was doomed, and Chief Jordan immediately called for assistance from the Franklin Fire Department which responded very quickly. They were not obliged to take a very active part in subduing the fire because Chief Jordan and Assistant Chief Roberts had handled the situation most effectively by confining the fire to the inside of the building. In the short space of time between the blowing of the alarm and arrival of the Franklin Department, the

local firemen had brought the greater part of the fire under control with all due dispatch. Right here the firemen proved to you citizens what they had gained from their fire drills. Every man knew his position and what he was expected to do to prove most effectively. No department in the state or elsewhere could have done a better job in so short a time.

During the State Forest Fire Emergency, we had two men on duty at the fire station during the full twenty-four hours with everything in readiness for an emergency call. We also had patrols out night and day covering all woods in both Townships during the emergency for your protection. We were most fortunate in not having any fires within this area. We had an emergency call for assistance from Sunapee and willingly reported. Upon investigation, Chief Jordan recalled the men that had been sent to assist, knowing that they had sufficient help from other towns, and not knowing when we at home might require the assistance of these men. We considered this a wise move on the part of the Chief.

We are pleased to inform you that during the past year we have had 14 less house calls, 7 less still alarms, 14 less Bell alarms than the previous year. Taking into consideration the many fires and explosions that we read about daily in the papers and hear about over the radio, you citizens of Tilton and Northfield should consider yourselves very fortunate and lucky. It is not luck, but it is good sound judgment on your part in all matters pertaining to the prevention of fire. We firewards cannot express in words our appreciation for your wonderful co-operation, but we are most grateful for your fine

help during the past year in using every precaution to prevent fires.

In closing, may we express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all the firemen for their loyal support during the year; and to you citizens of Tilton and Northfield, may we once again express our appreciation for the wonderful support both financially and otherwise during the past year.

Respectfully yours,

ARTHUR A. COVIEO,

ROY A. JORDAN,

H. HOWARD ALIEFF,

Firewards.

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENSE

Night Police	\$539.60
Wearing Apparel	57.00
Hydrant Rental	2,650.00
Insurance and Bond	400.78
Notes Payable	1,000.00
Street Lighting	5,316.99
Interest on Loan	169.58
New Fire Alarm Boxes	475.58
Stand Pipes	288.00
Outside Assistance	119.00
Printing and Typing	25.15
Snow Removal	19.25
Express and Freight	1.05
Collector of Internal Revenue	33.80
New Equipment	1,353.22
Payroll	2,515.25
Fire Station Maintenance	916.86
Administration	700.00
New Equipment for Fire Trucks	517.57
Upkeep of Fire Trucks	165.77
Line Repairs and Equipment	330.19
Miscellaneous	167.05
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	\$17,761.69

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSE IN DETAIL

No. 1—Night Police

Thomas Andrews	\$457.10	
Lawrence Dubia	82.50	
	<hr/>	\$539.60

No. 2—Wearing Apparel

Fire Protection Company	\$57.00	
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No. 3—Hydrant Rental

Tilton and Northfield Aqueduct Co.	\$2,650.00	
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No. 4—Insurance and Bond

Gale's Insurance Company	\$162.21	
R. B. Chalmers	38.57	
Mass. Bonding and Insurance Co.	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$400.78

No. 5—Notes Payable

Iona Savings Bank	\$1,000.00	
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No. 6—Street Lighting

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$5,316.99	
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No. 7—Interest on Loans

Citizens National Bank	\$109.58	
Iona Savings Bank	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$169.58

No. 8—New Fire Alarm Boxes and Attachments		
Gamewell Company	\$475.58	
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No. 9—Stand Pipes		
Roy Wiggett	\$288.00	
	<hr/>	\$288.00
No. 10—Outside Assistance		
Franklin Fire Department	\$119.00	
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No. 11—Printing and Typing		
W. R. Morrison	\$18.15	
Edna Southwick	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$25.15
No. 12—Snow Removal From Hydrants		
Guy Matott	\$3.25	
Eddie Bell	4.25	
Ernest Bell	4.25	
Chester Bosworth	2.50	
James Lockwood	2.50	
Maurice Cote	2.50	
	<hr/>	\$19.25
No. 13—Express and Freight		
F. S. Willey	\$1.05	
	<hr/>	\$1.05
No. 14—Collector of Internal Revenue		
Withholding Tax	\$33.80	
	<hr/>	\$33.80
No. 15—New Equipment "Rescue Car"		
A. C. Elliott	\$1,353.22	
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No. 16—Payroll

Engine Company No. 1	\$1,215.75	
Engine Company No. 2	1,299.50	
	<hr/>	\$2,515.25

No. 17—Fire Station Maintenance

J. Udoff	\$74.25	
H. J. Thompson	96.71	
Tilton Coal and Supply	144.87	
Bryant-Lawrence	35.63	
Forrest Boynton	240.00	
George Greenwood	28.12	
Arch Appliance	11.70	
Deno Test Corporation	44.88	
Lemie Company	16.00	
Kidder Lumber Company	36.82	
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	58.76	
Public Service Company	129.12	
	<hr/>	\$916.86

No. 18—Administration

Joseph Robert	\$25.00	
Roy Jordan, Chief	200.00	
Roy Jordan, Warden	75.00	
Howard Alieff, Warden	75.00	
A. A. Covio, Warden	100.00	
Brackett Hill, Treasurer	50.00	
Joseph Robert, Ass't Chief	125.00	
R. B. Chalmers, Collecting Taxes	25.00	
H. W. Fifield, Collecting Taxes	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$700.00

No. 19—New Equipment for Fire Trucks

J. Udoff	\$5.75
American LaFrance	195.50

Wood Engineering	139.77	
Fire Protection Co.	20.00	
American Fire Equipment Co.	156.55	
		<hr/> \$517.57

No. 20—Upkeep of Fire Trucks

Robert's Service Station	\$118.77	
Central Garage and Supply Co.	45.25	
A. C. Elliott	1.75	
		<hr/> \$165.77

No. 21—Line Repairs and Equipment

Public Service Co.	\$30.05	
George Buckminister	82.79	
Charles E. Marden	6.35	
Richard Morse	58.50	
Forrest Boynton	127.00	
Harland Robie	6.75	
Howard Clark	18.75	
		<hr/> \$330.19

No. 22—Miscellaneous

Manchester Oxygen Company	\$4.02	
Shepard Grocery	10.00	
Mrs. Henry Ketchum	45.00	
Granite State Motors	59.65	
George Bailey	10.00	
C. A. Dorval Company	6.35	
Burke Foundry	20.00	
C. P. Stevens Company	5.18	
Laconia Switch Company	3.85	
Int. Ass'n Fire Chiefs	3.00	
		<hr/> \$167.05

Total	<hr/> \$17,761.69
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NEW EQUIPMENT PURCHASED DURING 1947

A. C. Elliott
Rescue Car

\$1,353.22

 \$1,353.22

American LaFrance

2 Shut-off nozzles \$60.00

2 Playpipe couplings 54.00

3 Nozzle holders 25.74

1 Fog nozzle 51.00

 \$190.74

American Fire Equipment Company

1 Federal siren and red light
combination \$55.00

1 Master light 19.00

1 Steel crash axe 7.50

24 Pair rubber covered mitts 20.00

 \$101.50

George Buckminster Company

133 lbs. W. P. wire \$47.69

36 Spool racks 8.10

12 Guard rods 27.00

 \$82.79

Fire Protection Company

2 Squeeze grip valves \$20.00

6 Pairs rubber boots 57.00

 \$77.00

Gamewell Company

3 Fire alarm boxes and at-
tachments

\$475.58

\$475.58

Wood Engineering Company

2 50-foot lengths $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch booster
hose

\$52.00

2 15-lb. C. O. 2 Extinguishers

70.00

2 R. B. mounting brackets

17.00

\$139.00

PRECINCT PROPERTY

Land and buildings

\$15,000.00

Equipment:

Rescue Car

1,500.00

Fire Alarm System

6,500.00

1 Seagrave 600 gal. Pumper

5,000.00

1 Seagrave 500 gal. Pumper

3,500.00

1 Dodge $1\frac{1}{2}$ Ton Truck

2,000.00

1 60-ft. extension ladder

60.00

1 40-ft. extension ladder

40.00

1 32-ft. extension ladder

20.00

2 28-ft. extension ladders

20.00

2 25-ft. roof ladders

50.00

1 17-ft. taper ladder

17.00

1 25-ft. wall ladder

25.00

1 12-ft. folding ladder	20.00
40 ft. 4½-in. hard suction hose	160.00
10 ft. 4½ in. soft suction hose	25.00
30 ft. 4 in. hard suction hose	120.00
10 ft. 4 in. soft suction hose	25.00
2200 ft. 2½ in. fire hose	2,300.00
1000 ft. 1½ in. fire hose	750.00
150 ft. Garden hose	25.00
1 Ideal Boiler	150.00
1 Century Control burner	150.00
2 Unit heaters	200.00
1 Emerson Resuscitator	400.00
30 Firemen's coats	300.00
23 Firemen's helmets	207.00
26 Pairs Rubber boots	247.00
600 ft. Fire Alarm Wire	18.00
200 ft. Lean in. wire	16.00
3 Foamite Extinguishers	100.00
8 Soda and acid extinguishers	160.00
4 1½ in. fog nozzles	140.00
2 2½ in. fog nozzles	70.00
600 ft. Booster hose	312.00
5 Gas Masks	125.00
2 First Aid Kits	25.00
4 C. O. 2 Extinguishers	100.00
1 Electric Hose Dryer	500.00
4 2½ in. play pipe and shut-off nozzles	228.00
2 Rockwood nozzles	102.00
1 Rockwood nozzle	17.00
1 Reel No. 8 fire alarm wire	150.00
Miscellaneous fire equipment	500.00

Fire Station Furnishings	50.00
Office equipment	50.00
2 Stand Pipes and connections	288.00
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	\$41,762.00

HYDRANTS IN PRECINCT

Tilton	31
Northfield	22
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	53

STREET LIGHTS IN PRECINCT

124	100 watt
9	250 watt
23	400 watt
25	600 watt

FIRE ALARMS IN PRECINCT

Bell Alarms	3
House Calls	16
Still Alarms	3
False Alarms	1
Emergency Calls	2
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	25

FIRE ALARMS OUT OF PRECINCT

House Calls, Tilton	8
House Calls, Northfield	7
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	15

Estimated damage to buildings and contents by fire in
Precinct, \$25,325.00.

Estimated damage to buildings and contents by fire out-
side of Precinct:

Tilton	None
Northfield	\$350.00

ESTIMATED EXPENSE FOR 1948

Wearing Apparel	\$150.00
Hydrant Rental	3,300.00
Insurance and Bond	500.00
Notes Payable	2,000.00
Interest on Loan	120.00
Street Lighting	6,000.00
New Fire Alarm Boxes	280.00
New Equipment	1,000.00
Fire Protection	2,500.00
Fire Station Maintenance	800.00
Administration	700.00
Upkeep of Trucks and Repairing Pumper	1,200.00
Line Repairs	200.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
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Total Estimated Expense	\$18,950.00

NOTES PAYABLE

Citizens National Bank

\$2,000 note due July 19, 1948—To be paid in full.

Iona Savings Bank

\$2,000 note due July 19, 1948—To be renewed in full.

HALL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance in Iona Savings Account No. 18696—\$319.77.

FIRE DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT
For Tilton and Northfield Fire District, Year Ending
December 31, 1947

RECEIPTS

Taxes, Town of Tilton	\$12,999.70
Taxes, Town of Northfield	6,446.30
Out of Precinct Fires	189.00
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Total Receipts	\$19,635.00
Cash on hand beginning of year	2,799.94
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	\$22,434.94

PAYMENTS

Paid 139 Firewards' Orders	\$17,761.69
Cash on Hand December 31, 1947	4,673.25
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	\$22,434.94

BRACKETT H. HILL,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing account, I find same correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES E. SMITH,
Auditor.

TILTON AND NORTHFIELD DISTRICT NURSE ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1 1947 through Dec. 31, 1947

Automobile Fund		\$1,000.00
Balance on Hand	\$871.83	
Town of Northfield (bal. for 1946)	700.00	
Metropolitan Ins. Co.	51.50	
John Hancock Ins. Co.	22.00	
Petty Cash	250.00	
Town of Tilton	1,100.00	
Town of Northfield	1,100.00	
		\$4,095.33

PAYMENTS

Alice French, R. N.	\$1,265.70	
Alice French, expense to Health Institute	12.50	
Martha Ghen, R. N.	146.00	
Internal Revenue	234.30	
Rent	240.00	
N. E. Telephone Co.	117.96	
Public Service Co.	12.36	
Gale's Insurance Agency	49.58	
Central Garage	70.48	
Robert's Service Station	135.49	
Commissioner of Motor Vehicles	14.60	
Robert Chalmers	2.04	
Willis Craik	8.00	
Sears Roebuck	7.06	
		\$2,316.07
Automobile Fund		200.00

Balance on Hand Dec. 31, '47	1,579.26
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	\$4,095.33

Respectfully submitted,
HARLAND W. PETTENGILL,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HELEN Y. ANDREWS,
HENRY A. ROBERT,
Auditors.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT NURSE

Fiscal Year Jan. 1, 1947 to Dec. 31, 1947

Home and office calls were as follows:

Office visits	842
Medical	1,551
Surgical	106
Prenatal	41
Postnatal	39
New Baby	74
Pre-school and infant	160
School	27
Orthopedic	130
Home Consultation	89
Welfare	104
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat	9
Total calls	3,354

Transportation was furnished for 10 patients to Laconia, 1 from Boscawen, 8 to Franklin, to Hospitals, Clinics and Specialists.

A pre-school conference and Toxoid Clinic was held in cooperation with the State Board of Health in October and repeat Toxoid Clinics in November and December. Ninety-four children were examined at the Conference and 5 infants and 40 pre-schools received complete and 23 received partial immunization.

Miss Martha Ghen substituted for the regular nurse during the month of August.

At this time I wish to take the opportunity to thank the Association, the Doctors, the Town officials and the citizens for the generous cooperation, support, and kindness shown me in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE M. FRENCH, R. N.

OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

MODERATOR

Fred A. Smart

CLERK

Arthur B. Bacon

SCHOOL BOARD

John W. Crawford	Term expires 1948
Winnifred F. Walker	Term expires 1949
Brackett H. Hill	Term expires 1948
Helen T. Randall	Term expires 1950
Archie Grevior	Term expires 1950

TREASURER

Ned C. Rogers

AUDITOR

Fred G. Wilman

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Donald P. Mattoon

Telephone: Residence Tilton 6425

Office Tilton 531

Regular Meetings: School Board, Tilton-Northfield
High School

Second Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Belknap ss.

To the Inhabitants of the Tilton and Northfield Union School District, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Tilton-Northfield High School in said District, on Wednesday, March 10, 1948, at 8:00 p. m. to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
4.
 - a. To choose a member of the School Board to serve for three years to fill the vacancy arising from the expiration of the term of office of John W. Crawford.
 - b. To choose a member of the School Board to serve for three years to fill the vacancy arising from the expiration of the term of office of Brackett H. Hill.
5. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

7. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and other district officers.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alterations in the amount of money required to be assessed for the coming year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the operation of summer playground and recreational activities in 1948.

10. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to issue long-term notes or coupon bonds amounting to Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars, payable Two Thousand (\$2000.00) Dollars annually with interest, to pay installation or construction costs at the Union School for:

- a. Lighting fixtures,
- b. Casement fire-escape windows from classrooms,
- c. Toilet fixtures in boys' and girls' rooms,
- d. Two fireproof stairwells,

11. To see if the district will raise, appropriate, and make available by April 15, 1948, the sum of Two Thousand Four (\$2004.00) Dollars as an adjustment in charges for the current year from November 15, 1947 for school bus service.

12. To see if the district will raise and appropriate funds and authorize the school board to use district funds for the purchase, operation, and maintenance of school buses.

13. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction of an addition to the Union School or for providing temporary classrooms, or take any other action to provide increased classroom facilities.

14. To see if the district will authorize the school board to acquire by purchase or exchange, a small part of the land adjacent to the school grounds, known as a part of the former Charles E. Tilton Estate Park.

15. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of bleachers for the high school gymnasium.

16. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Tilton this 28th day of January 1948.

JOHN W. CRAWFORD,
WINNIFRED F. WALKER,
BRACKETT H. HILL,
HELEN T. RANDALL,
ARCHIE GREVIOR,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant, Attest:

JOHN W. CRAWFORD,
WINNIFRED F. WALKER,
BRACKETT H. HILL,
HELEN T. RANDALL,
ARCHIE GREVIOR,

School Board.

TILTON AND NORTHFIELD UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

BUDGET 1948-49

School Board's statement of amount required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1948.

Detailed Statement of Payments

Support of Schools	High	Elementary	Total
Teachers' Salaries	\$19,191.50	\$52,258.50	\$71,450.00
Textbooks	405.00	1,095.00	1,500.00
Scholars' Supplies	945.00	2,555.00	3,500.00
Flags and appurtenances	15.00	10.00	25.00
Other expenses of instruction	243.00	657.00	900.00
Janitor service	1,728.00	4,672.00	6,400.00
Fuel	911.25	2,463.75	3,375.00
Water, light and janitor supplies	675.00	1,825.00	2,500.00
Minor repairs	500.00	500.00	1,000.00
Medical inspection	340.65	946.35	1,295.00
Transportation		12,014.00	12,014.00
Elementary Tuition		125.00	125.00
Other special activities	27.00	73.00	100.00
Total			\$104,184.00
Other Statutory Requirements:			
Salaries of district officers		\$355.00	
Superintendent's salary		1,968.00	
Truant officer and school census		40.00	
Expenses of administration		2,400.00	
High School Tuition		450.00	
Insurance		983.24	

Fixed Charges, retirement	1,910.00
Per capita tax	1,224.00
New equipment	400.00
Payment of district debt	4,000.00
Payment of interest on debt	1,150.00

Total	<u>\$14,880.24</u>
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Amount required to meet school board's budget	<u>\$119,064.24</u>
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Estimated Income of District

High school tuition	\$1,500.00
Dog licenses	300.00
Income trust funds	50.00
George-Deen, home economics	250.00
Smith-Hughes, agriculture	750.00
State Aid, elementary	15,310.00

Deduct total estimated income not raised by taxation	<u>18,160.00</u>
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Assessment required to balance school board's budget	<u>\$100,904.24</u>
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Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. CRAWFORD,
WINNIFRED F. WALKER,
BRACKETT H. HILL,
HELEN T. RANDALL,
ARCHIE GREVIOR,

School Board.

**FINANCIAL REPORT
TILTON-NORTHFIELD UNION SCHOOL
DISTRICT**

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1947

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand July 1, 1946	\$5,631.54
Tilton:	
Appropriation 1946-47	48,540.15
Dog Tax	322.60
Northfield:	
Appropriation 1946-47 (overpaid \$2500)	30,353.25
Dog Tax	319.95
George Deen Federal Aid for Vocational Education:	
Home Economics 1945-46	295.11
1946-47	394.10
Agriculture 1945-46	749.06
1946-47	790.38
Tuition:	
Canterbury School District	250.00
John McDonald	36.00
Sanbornton School District	624.52
Miscellaneous:	
Veterans Administration	2,312.22
Sale of Supplies	298.50
Supervisory Union	236.62
Sale of typewriters	165.00

Rent of auditorium	13.00
Refund — Doris Bunker — correspondence course	10.00
Telephone—toll calls	8.60
Damage to property	17.10
State of New Hampshire—School Lunch	674.13
Trust Fund	57.23
State Aid—Elementary	370.26
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Total	\$92,499.32

PAYMENTS

Administration

Salaries of District Officers:

John W. Crawford	\$50.00
Brackett H. Hill	50.00
Joel E. Nordholm	60.00
Helen T. Randall	50.00
Ned C. Rogers	90.00
Winnifred F. Walker	50.00
Fred G. Wilman	5.00
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Total	\$355.00
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Superintendent's Salary:

Winnifred F. Walker, Treas. Supervisory Union	\$1,265.00
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Truant Officer and School Census:

R. E. Lane, blanks	\$6.40
Ethel S. Worthen	25.00
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Total	\$31.40
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Expenses of Administration:

American Association of School		
Superintendents	\$2.00	
Fred M. Boynton, Postmaster	187.88	
The Bruce Publishing Co.	3.00	
The Department of Ele. School		
Principals	2.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co.	32.31	
Harper & Bros.	1.98	
Elizabeth Johnson	120.25	
Carl Larson	2.45	
Delores Lougee	17.00	
Donald P. Mattoon	16.00	
Mittag & Volger Co.	18.90	
W. R. Morrison	66.70	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	314.57	
N. H. School Board Association	10.00	
Lucille Patterson	6.50	
Petty Cash, express, postage, office		
supplies	60.00	
Phillips Paper Co.	31.91	
Donald F. Piper	8.95	
The Charles C. Rogers Co.	69.80	
School Executive	2.00	
Standard Duplicating Machine Co.	2.15	
Fred L. Tower	6.00	
Winnifred F. Walker, Treas.		
Super. Union	1,100.00	
Total		\$2,062.35

Instruction

Principal's and Teachers' Salaries:

Donald B. Chesley (W. T. \$23.10, B. C. \$24)	\$2,352.90
F. Marjorie Cross (W. T. \$117.60, B. C. \$15.30, Ret. \$72)	1,595.10
Marion E. Dearborn (W. T. \$144.40, B. C. \$12.75, Ret. \$72)	1,500.85
Jessie L. Dutrizac (W. T. \$266)	1,734.00
Mary E. Foss (W. T. \$232.00, B. C. \$15.30, Ret. \$72)	1,480.70
Leah A. Gray (W. T. \$198, B. C. \$15.30)	1,386.70
Maude A. Gray (W. T. \$152, B. C. \$15.30, Ret. \$72)	1,560.70
Russell S. Hanson (W. T. \$127.80 B. C. \$35.25, Ret. \$60)	2,176.95
Anna M. Hussey (W. T. \$135.10, B. C. \$15.30, Ret. \$72)	1,387.60
Sally A. Kott (W. T. \$198, B. C. \$10.20)	1,391.80
Arthur G. Lucier (W. T. \$108, B. C. \$24)	1,868.00
Priscilla E. Marrotte (W. T. \$74, B. C. \$10.80)	805.20
Helen E. Martin (W. T. \$237.60, B. C. \$15.30, Ret. \$78)	1,619.10
Lulu J. Meserve (W. T. \$194, B. C. \$15.30, Ret. \$82)	1,758.70
Evelyn A. Page (W. T. \$184.20)	1,346.59
Donald F. Piper (W. T. \$72.50,	

B. C. \$12, Ret. \$40)	1,322.96
Homer P. Ransom	1,250.00
Virginia E. Rochelle (W. T. \$178)	1,322.00
Chris W. Sakelarios (W. T. \$151.20, B. C. \$36)	1,812.80
Earl Q. Sanborn (W. T. \$178, B. C. \$10.20)	1,411.80
Natalie Smith (W. T. \$204.80, Ret. \$68)	1,384.72
Isabelle Surowiec (W. T. \$219.40, B. C. \$15.30, Ret. \$72)	1,398.30
Donald C. Taylor (W. T. \$1.20, B. C. \$36, Ret. \$90)	2,222.80
Ilene S. Whicher (W. T. \$31.60, B. C. \$30.60)	\$537.80
Hildegard Wittig (W. T. \$201, B. C. \$15.30)	1,415.38
Christine Wolffer, substitute	55.00
Wilfred C. Wolffer (W. T. \$110, B. C. \$24)	2,066.00
Beatrice A. Pelletier (W. T. \$103.20, B. C. \$12.75)	984.05
Beatrice B. Pelletier, substitute (W. T. \$30.77)	253.73
Nan Smart, substitute	50.50
Dorothy Metcalf, substitute	92.50
Mrs. Lawrence Connolly, substitute	40.00
Mrs. Waldo Ker, substitute	10.00
Collector of Internal Revenue	3,873.47
Teachers' Retirement	1,653.47
New Hampshire-Vermont Hos-	

pitalization Service

416.25

Total

 \$47,538.42
Instruction

Textbooks:

Allyn & Bacon	\$20.44
American Book Co.	78.30
Burgess Publishing Co.	1.82
Bureau of Publication	10.75
Chandler's	1.13
College Entrance Book Co.	1.95
Educational Test Bureau	1.74
Ginn & Company	102.80
Gregg Publishing Co.	14.23
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.21
Harcourt Brace Co.	77.58
Harper Bros.	37.79
D. C. Heath Co.	6.50
Henry Holt Company	1.37
The House of Little Books	10.00
Industrial Press	4.80
Laconia School District	6.18
The Macmillan Co.	21.50
McCormick Mathers Co.	40.09
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	7.17
Charles E. Merrill Co.	10.82
Morgan Dillon Co.	2.68
National Library	109.80
Noble & Noble	4.13
Oxford Book Co.	2.32
Pioneer Publishing Co.	30.00

Row, Peterson Co.	120.25
Scott, Foresman Co.	39.32
L. W. Singer Co.	13.74
Charles Scribners Sons	1.21
Silver Burdett Co.	111.25
O. H. Toothaker	1.64
Webster Publishing Co.	28.74
Wilcox & Follett	35.40
John C. Winston Co.	3.07

Total

\$961.72

Scholars' Supplies:

Achber's Store	\$62.12
American Agriculturist	2.00
American Education Press	122.80
American Home Economics Association	2.80
Association for Childhood Education	5.95
Auclair Transportation Co.	1.08
Edward E. Babb & Co.	798.95
Ralph F. Bass Co.	86.59
Beckley-Cardy Co.	18.56
C. C. Birchard Co.	22.23
Boulia-Gorrell Lumber Co.	514.00
Brodhead-Garrett Co.	13.16
Bryant & Lawrence	225.97
Albert Boudreau	2.50
Cascade Paper Co.	32.50
Central Plastics Association	138.85
Central Scientific Co.	2.16
Chicago Apparatus Co.	68.03

Civic Education Service	31.80
Congleton Typewriter Co.	31.13
Continental Press	25.21
John W. Crawford	6.00
Walter B. Daniels	39.05
Jessie L. Dutrizac	6.25
J. F. Faltin	5.03
Ginn & Company	2.47
The Gregg Writer	2.30
J. L. Hammett Co.	3.23
Holt & Bugbee	33.95
Houghton Mifflin Co.	68.05
Howe & French	14.40
Kenworthy Education Service	.70
Kidder Lumber Co.	22.40
J. P. Lippincott Co.	11.38
The Manual Arts Press	22.68
McCormick Mathers Co.	8.81
Myron L. Meserve	12.95
W. R. Morrison	40.65
National Education Association	2.32
N. H. State Trade School	18.77
The N. E. Homestead	1.00
The Peoples Market	170.27
Phillips Paper Co.	177.94
H. K. Porter, Inc.	.70
Richardson Laundries	18.12
Row, Peterson Co.	14.27
A. H. Rice & Co.	5.27
The Rural New Yorker	1.00
Sanborn News Agency	37.22

Sanel Auto Parts	7.21
John Sexton Co.	80.50
Scott, Foresman Co.	1.00
Ralph H. Smith Co.	72.50
C. P. Stevens	117.48
Syracuse University	6.75
Thorp-Martin	1.16
University Extension Division	12.28
War Assets Administration	53.74
Wilfred C. Wolffer	46.60
H. P. Welch	1.05
F. S. Willey Co.	.95
World Book Co.	20.34

Total**\$2,868.27****Other Expenses of Instruction:**

Ann Marie's Workshop	\$2.98
California Test Bureau	30.95
Catherine E. Hammond	280.00
Dr. Howard R. Jones	19.00
W. R. Morrison	64.83
The National Education Association	20.02
H. W. Pettengill	1.50
Rev. Ernest A. Shepherd	15.00
Richard Smart	92.90
C. P. Stevens	9.44
University of Nebraska	12.00
Emile Vassamillet	.75
What's New in Economics	4.00
Whitney Publishing Inc.	1.00

Total**\$554.37**

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

Janitor Service:

Theodore J. Adams (W. T. \$126, B. C. \$25.50)	\$2,036.50	
Paul Baker	5.20	
Elmer Simmons (W. T. \$155.20)	1,314.20	
Neil Adams	22.00	
George Bailey	544.00	
C. A. Worthen (W. T. \$74.10, B. C. \$10.20)	1,207.70	
Collector of Internal Revenue	355.30	
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service	35.70	
State Employees Retirement Board	102.14	
Total		\$5,622.74

Fuel:

Boston & Maine Railroad	\$1,390.32	
Tilton Coal & Supply Co.	285.03	
Peele Peacock & Ker, Inc.	1,097.80	
Total		\$2,773.15

Water, Light & Janitor Supplies:

Arch Appliance	\$4.84	
M. P. Bragdon Paint Co.	19.58	
Ralph Bass & Co.	72.60	
H. J. Dowd Co.	40.00	
The Eclipse Machine Co.	3.87	
Howe & French	12.00	
Keilty Soap & Chemical Co.	2.34	
C. A. King Company	91.25	

Laconia Electric Shop	12.00
Masury-Young Co.	25.10
Public Service Co. of N. H.	664.74
Shepherd Furniture Store	8.07
Charles Taylor	45.31
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co.	394.04
West Disinfectant Co.	169.88

Total

\$1,565.62

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Francis Beane	\$53.60
Boulia-Gorrell Lumber Co.	52.59
Boutwell Lumber Company	7.50
Alexander Burns	78.00
Central Garage & Supply Co.	40.15
P. & F Corbin Co.	2.47
Walter Daniels	70.20
William Demerse	15.00
Diamond Match Co.	2.26
Charles Douphinett	11.17
Francoeur-Keroack Co.	618.92
George Greenwood & Son	18.76
J. L. Hammett Co.	82.25
Herbert Harbour	96.67
J. O. Harbour	75.05
Kidder Lumber Co.	49.57
Laconia Electric Shop	15.08
Laconia Hardware Co.	1.60
Peter Lugliani	34.25
C. E. Marden	1.25
C. J. Nourie	5.00

Donald F. Perthel	191.83
Public Service Co. of N. H.	38.75
Ned C. Rogers	11.00
Sears, Roebuck Co.	75.60
Shepherd Furniture Store	2.25
Ralph H. Smith Co.	13.86
Frederick St. Cyr	12.18
C. R. Swaney Co.	5.69
Wilfred C. Wolffer	6.80

Total	\$1,689.30
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Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

Medical Inspection:

Arch Appliance Co.	\$5.50
Herrick Drug Co.	4.79
Lurline H. McCook (With. tax \$49.20)	775.80
Dr. Joel E. Nordholm	50.00
National Society for Prevention of Blindness	.90
Presby's Drug Store	3.00
Dr. Bernard Robinson	150.00
Tilton Pharmacy	6.10
Collector of Internal Revenue	49.20

Total	\$1,045.29
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Transportation of Pupils:

Central Garage & Supply Co.	\$657.88
A. C. Elliott	18.50
Edmand Harbour	1,264.20
Ralph Moulton	40.00

Frank Plizga	272.00	
Lewis Read	132.00	
Elmer Simmons	147.00	
Archie Wheaton	2,917.00	
Horace Wheaton	2,414.00	
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Total		\$7,862.58
High School Tuition:		
Franklin School District		\$200.00
Elementary School Tuition:		
Franklin School District		\$114.00
Other Special Activities:		
Central Garage & Supply Co.	\$31.49	
Comstock Publishing Co.	1.00	
Jessie L. Dutrizac	8.25	
Granite State Motors	57.21	
Myron L. Meserve	8.58	
People's Market	262.11	
Chris Sakelarios	200.00	
John Sexton Co.	209.34	
Willey's Express	2.58	
Veterans' Program		
Donald C. Taylor, travel	351.60	
Donald C. Taylor, salary	750.00	
Sears, Roebuck Co.	542.41	
Laconia School District	110.00	
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Total		\$2,534.57
	<i>Fixed Charges</i>	
Per Capita Tax:		
State Treasurer		\$1,178.00

Insurance:

R. B. Chalmers	\$576.03
Gale's Insurance Agency	536.07

Total	\$1,112.10
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Outlay for Construction and Equipment

Lands and New Buildings:

Central Garage & Supply Co.	\$28.50
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New Equipment:

Beckley Cardy Co.	\$144.75
Boulia-Gorrell Lumber Co.	45.45
Albert Groux	20.00
Lougee-Robinson Co.	73.65
Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Co.	38.50
Manchester State Trade School	5.00
Martin & Murray	104.50
Parker D. Perry	233.40
Homer Ransom	100.00
Underwood Typewriter Co.	689.92
Union School District of Concord	14.00
Wilfred C. Wolffer	9.50
F. W. Woolworth Co.	28.00

Total	\$1,506.67
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Debt Service

Payment of Principal of Debt:

First National Bank	
of Boston	\$4,000.00
Citizens Nat'l Bank	1,704.04

Total	\$5,704.04
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Payment of Interest on Debt:

First National Bank	
of Boston	\$1,237.50
Citizens Nat'l Bank	37.06

Total	\$1,274.56
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Overpayment on Appropriation:

Selectmen of Northfield	\$2,500.00
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Total Payments	\$92,367.65
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Cash on hand June 30, 1947	131.67
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Grand Total	\$92,499.32
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Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. CRAWFORD
 WINNIFRED F. WALKER
 BRACKETT H. HILL
 HELEN T. RANDALL
 ARCHIE GREVIOR

School Board

NED C. ROGERS

Treasurer of School District

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of the Tilton-Northfield Union School District of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED G. WILMAN,

Auditor.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

*To the Members of the School Board, Parents, and Voters
in the Tilton-Northfield Union School District:*

If given free rein, the thinking of man can release the most treacherous forces—ill will, discontent, turmoil, suspicion, disbelief, hatred, and strife, or it can create the greatest blessings. The record of the ages is that a balance has always been struck between evil and good. Panics, disorders, misery, and wars give way to rule by and respect for laws and agreements, human betterment, peace and opportunities for folks to live their lives in freedom, rear their families, and honor spiritual attributes—eternal values.

The schools, now buffeted temporarily by the tensions and complexities of the times, stand for and promote programs designed to advance a race or nation of young people who are strong in body, alert in mind, straightforward in purpose, and calm in inner life.

Facilities, materials, personnel, and funds are needed to provide for the accomplishment of the school's goals. This report will describe some of the steps which are being taken to attain the ideals for which we strive.

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

Safety

Last spring a representative of the Mutual Fire Inspection Bureau of New England examined the school

plants and recommended some fire proofing measures and installation of protective devices on the heating unit at the Union School. All of the recommendations for changes in the boiler room, coal bin, and basement were carried out by plumbers and electricians this summer.

In the summer the School Board authorized the installation of a second exit from the first floor of the Union School on the Vine Street side. This work will be completed upon the arrival of a specially-made door. When done, primary children will be in little danger in an emergency through their inability to reach the main exit through a crowded corridor.

Fire drills have been held frequently and pupils trained to care for themselves both during such exercises and in the event of a fire. At the high school, marked exit signs denoting direction of traffic in a fire drill are being attached to the corridor walls and stairwells.

The Union School is crowded with children, with rooms on four different floors being occupied. It is not safe to permit this condition to continue. There may never be any loss of life in case of fire in that structure, but there is always the real danger of trouble so long as only one main exit is available and the stairways are wooden and varnished. During the summer of 1948, the District should provide the funds for building fireproof stairwells on either end of the building with exits on Vine Street and Park Street sides.

Use of School Facilities

On the request of the Park Commission, the School Board made available the basements, toilets, playground, and play equipment at the Union School for the use of

the Commission in its summer program. Later, it provided a school bus to transport groups of pupils on certain afternoons to Webster Lake for swimming lessons. Very efficient direction of youth groups obtained through the efforts of Mrs. Helen H. Rego and Mr. Chris A. Sakelarios.

The School Board encourages the use of school plants by organizations in Tilton and Northfield by establishing regulations and setting nominal charges.

TILTON-NORTHFIELD SCHOOL SUPERVISORY UNION, NO. 59

Donald P. Mattoon, Superintendent

Use of High School Auditorium for Public Programs

1. The fee for the evening use of the hall for public programs or basketball games lasting not later than 10:30 p. m. shall be \$6.50, \$4.00 of which shall be for janitorial and police service. The fee is payable in advance. After 10:30 p. m. the charge will be \$8.00, all programs closing before midnight. The regular high school janitor acting in the capacity of special officer shall collect the fee before the program or the game starts and take therefrom his portion, paying the balance to the Supervisory Union Clerk.

2. For rehearsals or practice games the fee shall be \$1.25 for the use of the hall plus a charge of \$1.00 per hour or fraction thereof for the janitorial service.

3. In basketball a list of the members of the squad for practice shall be submitted to the superintendent of schools at the beginning of the season. No individual whose name is not on the list shall be admitted by the

janitor to the gymnasium for practice.

4. If a local athletic group wishes to play a series of basketball games in the gymnasium, it shall make a building deposit of \$25 returnable at the end of the season if no damage is done to the structure by the group renting the facilities. In the event that the cost of the damage exceeds this \$25 deposit, the athletic club or group shall pay any additional charges.

5. Payment of this building deposit and payment of fees for practice games and regular games shall give players the privilege of using the showers and gymnasium so long as they exercise reasonable care in the use of the property and create no nuisances.

6. The school department has first consideration in auditorium use. Any public programs or athletic contests shall in no way interfere with regularly scheduled school functions.

Mr. Theodore Adams, as special officer, shall act in safeguarding the interest of the school board and shall collect all fees, shall govern the admittance of players and public, and decide whether there is proper use being made of the school property and whether the conduct of those who attend is above reproach.

*Use of Tilton-Northfield High School Kitchen and Cafeteria
By Community Groups*

1. The fee for the use of the high school kitchen and cafeteria by a community group, where no janitorial or police service is needed, shall be \$2.50 for each occasion when the rooms are already heated, or \$5.00 if the rooms have to be heated especially for the occasion. The fee is payable upon the presentation of a bill. If the group

desires to incur no charge for janitorial or police service, one or more employees of the school district, willing to assume the responsibility, must be present during the time the facilities are in use by the community group to which they have been loaned.

2. The fee does not cover the charges for any damage which may result from the careless, negligent, or after-effect use of the facilities.

3. The fee payment does permit the use of the electric and gas ranges, water and lights, and kitchen and dining room equipment.

4. Each community group hiring the high school dining facilities shall:

- a. Provide competent kitchen direction,
- b. Clean and replace any equipment used,
- c. Replace tables and chairs in their customary positions,
- d. Put all garbage in a covered container provided for the kitchen,
- e. Draw the shades to cover top panes in lower sashes, lock all windows and doors, put out lights, and leave the rooms and building shipshape and secure at the close of the supper, meal, banquet, or meeting.

5. The school department has first consideration in building use. Any requests for the use of the high school kitchen and/or cafeteria equipment shall be directed to the Headmaster of the High School, who keeps the schedule and promises the availability of facilities.

6. The school district employee or employees present in a community group utilizing high school facilities

shall act in safeguarding the interest of the School Board, shall govern the admittance of persons, and decide whether there is proper use being made of the school property and whether the conduct of those who attend is above reproach.

If no school district employee is present who has agreed to assume this responsibility, Mr. Theodore Adams, high school janitor, as special officer, shall be employed at a fee of \$1.00 per hour for each hour or fraction thereof he is present, payable to him when he closes and secures the facilities and building following its use by the community group.

If the president, chairman, or leader of any group does not wish to assume the responsibility of securing the building for the night, Mr. Theodore Adams may be employed for a \$1.00 charge to check the locks, shades, lights, water, electricity, and building.

Protection of Facilities

The insurance policies held on the Union School for several years have been enough to cover only a portion of the loss which might obtain through destruction of the building by fire. At present costs of construction, these amounts would be inadequate to build a new plant if the present one were destroyed by fire. The School Board acted to remedy this situation by having an appraisal made by fire underwriters' agents. These are their figures:

Replacement cost of Union School	\$146,100
Depreciation	33,600
Sound Value	112,500
Insurance at 80% of sound value	90,000

The School Board decided to accept the recommendations of the New Hampshire Board of Underwriters and now has policies totaling over \$90,000 on the building and contents.

1-year policy	\$31,667	Premium	\$143.29	(Renew for 3 years)
2-year policy	\$31,667	Premium	\$286.59	(Renew for 3 years)
3-year policy	\$31,666	Premium	\$429.71	
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	\$95,000		\$859.59	
Less Premium Returns			323.42	
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		\$536.17		

After this first year, the approximate annual cost will be \$430. The present charges have been about \$350 for \$35,000 less coverage than under the new plan, or about \$85 more for the added coverage.

The Secretary of the New Hampshire Board of Underwriters has suggested that (1) the exits from the assembly hall at the Union School are adequate for 400, (2) there should be better exit facilities to the fire escape on the upper floors—casement windows opening out and steps to the window ledges, (3) a sandbag weight test be made of the fire escape, and (4) an additional exit should be made on the east end of the building from the first floor.

Expansion of Facilities

The enrollment of pupils in the Union School has begun to tax the capacity of the building. There has been an influx of 30 youngsters this fall over last spring's enrollment, making a total of nearly 350 in a building designed for 240. One-half of the assembly room has

been converted to temporary classroom space and the other rooms filled to capacity or above.

Studying the figures from the school census and recognizing signs of local increases in the school population, the School Board had Article II inserted in the Warrant for the last annual school district meeting. When the District authorized the Board to apply for and accept Federal funds for the preparation of plans by an architect, it proceeded to seek the advice of Mr. Archer Hudson of Hanover, a member of the firm which designed the Tilton-Northfield High School Building.

Mr. Hudson accepted the job of preparing plans and the Board made application to the Federal Works Agency for an Advance for Plan Preparation in preliminary form in April 1947. The Federal Works Agency's funds for New Hampshire were exhausted before the application was approved, but the Agency established codes for early approval when funds are provided by Congress.

Federal Works Agency 6/5/47

Application No.: N. H. 27-P-82

Union School Alt. & Add.

Tilton, N. H.

Control: PK:slc

Construction	\$157,000
Equipment	5,000
Plan Preparation	6,280
Supv. Const.	3,140
Legal and Adm.	100

\$171,520

The plans prepared by Hudson and Ingram give spaces for 14 classrooms, a kitchen and lunch room for hot noon lunches, adequate toilet facilities, a health room for physical examinations of pupils, a teachers' room, automatic heating control, and fireproof stairwells. The proposed addition would be attached to the rear of the present structure and extend along the Vine Street sidewalk to a passageway near the line fence.

Increases in the school population seem to indicate the School Board is using good judgment in considering the housing of pupils before the situation becomes acute. Temporary alternate plans are (1) to use the garage (Scout house) now on the playground for one school room, (2) to construct temporary classrooms of wood in the rear of the building, (3) to utilize the south half of the assembly room on the top floor, (4) to purchase some War-time servicemen's quarters and move them to the Union School grounds, and (5) to erect a permanent addition to the brick school which has served Tilton and Northfield youngsters so well for many years.

High School Grounds

Preliminary steps were taken to have a topographical survey made of the spacious grounds to the rear of the Tilton-Northfield High School, in preparation for any program of construction of an athletic field. The survey has not been completed yet.

War Surplus Goods

From the War Assets Administration, several pieces of equipment have been obtained at low cost, usually for the charges of crating and transporting. Power planer,

lockers, tools, welding rod, and generator have been delivered to the high school from various parts of New England.

Agricultural Project

The boys in Vocational Agriculture have an orcharding project in Dr. Edwin D. Forrest's orchard. The Department members prune, fertilize, spray, and manage the orchard, pick, grade, pack, and sell the apples for a two-year period. An equal division of the net proceeds is made between the Forrest Estate and the Agriculture Department. This gives the boys a good chance for practical experience in orcharding.

Equipment

At the last school district meeting, \$1250 were appropriated for the purchase of school lunch equipment for the Union School. Application was made but Federal funds had been allocated earlier on a 50-50 matching basis. The Congress has not appropriated funds for the acquisition of lunchroom equipment in its program for the continuance of support for school lunches throughout the Nation. The local appropriation has been earmarked for use when Federal funds are available for matching.

Lawn Mower Sharpening

During the War years, lawn mower sharpening service has been given by employees at the high school, to the great convenience of Tilton and Northfield home owners. Receipts have been utilized to pay labor charges and to purchase new shop equipment. Now that there is a possibility of some one starting his own "tinker shop", the power sharpening equipment under

school control has been sold to a Northfield resident to start his business of lawnmower repair and sharpening.

PUPILS

Health Program

The School Board has long desired to promote among all pupils a Health Program which would serve their best interests in many ways. Of primary importance is the physical examination of boys and girls to discover the bodily weaknesses and to start to correct these. Since it is possible to tell the condition of each pupil only by a complete examination, one similar to that for persons entering the nurses' corps or the armed forces, considerable time is required. At last, the School Board secured the services of Dr. Bernard Robinson to examine each boy from the top of his head to the tip of his toes, and Dr. Kathleen Robinson to do the same for each girl. The School Nurse, Mrs. McCook, keeps the records and does the follow-up work to get remedial defects corrected.

Bus Safety

The film, "Priceless Cargo", in which bus drivers and pupils see others conducting themselves acceptably on a school bus in operation, was shown to all bus pupils and their drivers this fall.

Hearing Tests and Lip-Reading Instruction

By joint purchase, a Maico Tru-Tone Audiometer has been obtained for hearing tests in Supervisory Union No. 59. This is equipment similar to that in an otologist's office and brings to each pupil a true test of his hearing losses.

Mrs. Catherine E. Hammond, Lip-reading Teacher for pupils in this supervisory union, instructs one pupil at the high school and three at the Union School. These four pupils are becoming adept at learning to "hear" through watching words formed by the lips and tongue.

Dental Clinic

Dental examinations were conducted for all elementary pupils and a Dental Clinic held with Dr. Joel E. Nordholm in charge. There were over 70 pupils treated with an average expense of slightly over \$2.00 each. The Tilton and Northfield Woman's Club supported the program financially, but the net expense to the Club for the 1946-47 Clinic was approximately \$30. For the support of this worthy project, school officials are very grateful.

The Honor Privilege System

In the selection of subjects, high school pupils are guided in their choices by the Headmaster. For those who can carry the study load, the Headmaster frequently schedules five subjects per year for a boy or girl. Even so, there are some to whom has been extended the "Honor Privilege System", subject to parents' approval, for the third period in the school year, the spring months. The system was inaugurated by pupil request in 1945-46 and is based on the following points, privileges earned by approximately 20 pupils annually.

1. Any pupil in the Sophomore, Junior, or Senior years who attains an average of 85 or over in all subjects in his schedule does not have to attend study hall.

2. Any such pupil, with parental consent, may leave the building but must remain in an area circumscribed by the roads or highways about the high school land.
3. Any pupil thus temporarily absent from the building is not permitted to be tardy to any class.

Veterans Program

On August 13, 1946, the School Board entered into a Negotiated Contract (VA-3r-vr 68) with the Veterans Administration whereby the district would furnish a teacher and facilities for "Institutional On-the-Farm Training" for approximately twenty World War II Veterans in Agriculture, living in Tilton, Belmont, Sanborn-ton, Barnstead, Alton, Gilford, Laconia and Meredith. In return for this instruction, the Veterans Administration would pay the school district a maximum of \$200 per veteran over a 50-week period, September 1, 1946 to August 19, 1947. In addition, the School Board agreed to furnish at cost a maximum outlay of \$60 each veteran for books, supplies, and equipment selected by and purchased for each one who wished to avail himself of this benefit under the rehabilitation or retraining program.

Mr. Donald C. Taylor was released from a portion of his classroom teaching load to organize the Veterans classes. He visited them on the farms or in the places where they were working, gave them expert counsel, taught classes evenings in Tilton and Laconia, and helped forty or more veterans to obtain the instruction.

Mr. Homer C. Ransom was secured as part-time teacher of mathematics and science in 1946-47 and as full-time teacher this year to replace Mr. Taylor.

This fall a new contract was made with the Veterans Administration, for the continuance of the On-the-Farm Training, to terminate August 31, 1948. However, a limit of twenty men has been placed for Tilton's share in this endeavor, the balance being enrolled in a new class with another instructor in the Laconia High School.

Financially, the District is expected to neither make nor lose money in this undertaking. Because the high school had the facilities for giving this assistance to veterans, the School Board agreed to the initial contract as a public service. Its continuance through the second year is a service to the veterans towards whom there is a sense of public responsibility.

Closing Exercises

In 1947, Baccalaureate Sunday Exercises were held in the Tilton-Northfield High School gymnasium, Sunday evening, June fifteenth. The Rev. Ernest A. Shepherd, Baker Memorial Methodist Church, Concord, New Hampshire, gave the address.

Class Day Exercises preceded Baccalaureate services this year, to conform to a mid-week ending of the school year. Eleanor Moses prepared the Class History; Elizabeth Johnson read the Class Will; Irene DeForge and Theresa Croteau gave the Class Prophecy; Norma Reed and Louise Watson distributed Class Gifts; Beatrice Newell wrote the Class Poem; and Steve Tassey addressed the Undergraduates.

Headmaster Russell S. Hanson presented awards as follows:

Tilton Holy Name Society Awards

Home Economics, Mary Louise Robert
Shop, Charles Fuller

Channing T. Sanborn Music Award

Irene DeForge

Liberty Chapter, D. A. R., History Award

Beatrice Newell

Charles W. Colby Spelling Award

Irene DeForge

Becker Commercial Award

Elizabeth Johnson

Gibson Educational Fund Scholarships

Louise French

Dolores Lougee

Phyllis Hayward

Beatrice Newell

Cogswell Scholarship for University of New
Hampshire

John Shaw

Class of 1947 Award for Character

Steve Tasse

Bausch and Lomb Science Award

Nicholas Wadleigh

Tilton-Northfield Woman's Club Achievement
Award

Beatrice Newell

American Legion Auxiliary Junior High Citizenship
Awards

Thomas Pucci

Ruth Ernst

American Agriculturist Foundation Awards

Omer Cote

Monica Murphy
 Grevior Good Sportsmanship Award
 Alfred Pucci
 Arthur W. Abbott Junior High Shop Award
 Leon Allard
 Headmaster's Trophy
 Elizabeth Johnson

The exercises closed with the Class Song, words and music by Joseph Shea and Clinton Maxfield.

The Graduation program was held on Monday evening, June sixteenth in the high school auditorium. Dr. Howard R. Jones, President of Plymouth Teachers College delivered the Address to the Graduates. Mr. Donald F. Piper, former headmaster, Director of Youth Services for the State Board of Education, presented diplomas to the following graduates:

Robert Howard Adams	*Beatrice Augusta Newell
*Doris Yvonne Breancier	Rowland McKim Perkins
Doris Theresa Bunker	Ruth Mary Pitman
Ralph Plummer Burleigh	Norma Diane Reed
Joseph Charles Camarra	*John Hodgdon Shaw
Theresa Rita Croteau	Joseph Vincent Shea, Jr.
*Irene Marie Theresa DeForge	Joseph Robert Sleeper
Clarence Leroy Fife	*Jacqueline Smith
*Louise Marion French	Steve Jack Tassey
Charles Edward Fuller	John Calvin Thomas
Robert Earl Harbour	Gerald Douglas Thompson
*Elizabeth Ann Johnson	Catherine Mabel Tilton
Richard Byrd Lavigne	Anita Theresa Twombly
*Dolores Jean Lougee	Rose Sophie Uscilka
Clinton Horace Maxfield	*Nicholas Hodgdon Wadleigh
Leon Keith Moon	*Louise Mae Watson
*Eleanor Mary Moses	Eleanor Josephine Wheaton
*Scholastic Honor	

Area Vocational School

Laconia Area Vocational School offerings for 1947-48 were announced as:

Machine Shop Training (Pupils 16 yrs. and over, Grades XI, XII)

Agriculture (Pupils in Grades IX and above)

Foods Training (Pupils 16 yrs. and over, Grades XI, XII)

Distributive Education (Pupils 16 yrs. and over, Grades XI, XII)

Vocational Home Economics (Grades IX and above)

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1947-48

First Term begins Wednesday, September 3, 1947

No School—October 16, 17

November 10, 11, 27, 28

Close for Christmas vacation at usual time, Friday, December 19, 1947

Second Term begins Monday, January 5, 1948

Winter Vacation—Close school at usual time on Friday, February 20, 1948

Third Term begins Monday, March 1, 1948

Spring Vacation—Close school at usual time on Friday, April 23, 1948

Fourth Term begins Monday, May 3, 1948

Summer Vacation—Close school on Friday, June 18, 1948

Entrance Age, First Year of School

To enter school in September 1947, a pupil must have reached his sixth birthday on or before January 1, 1948.

Enrollments—October 1947

Union School			For lunch
Carolyn L. Wynott	A	34	21
Isabelle A. Surowiec	B	33	13
Natalie Smith	C	32	21
Anna M. Hussey	D	32	18
Maude A. Gray	E	36	18
Mary E. Foss	F	36	21
Beatrice A. Pelletier	G	37	18
Marion E. Dearborn	H	35	12
Pauline Whitney	I	32	15
Lulu J. Meserve	J	36	14
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Beatrice B. Pelletier—uart-time

Ilene S. Whicher—part-time

High School

Donald B. Chesley	VII	57
F. Marjorie Cross	VIII	49
Leah A. Gray	IX	53
Russell S. Hanson	X	50
Sally A. Kott	XI	34
Arthur G. Lucier	XII	28
Helen E. Martin	P. G.	1
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Stella F. Nowicki

Homer P. Ransom

Virginia E. Rochelle

Chris W. Sakelarios

Earl Q. Sanborn

Donald C. Taylor
 Jane R. Vogel, Music Supervisor
 Wilfred C. Wolffer

Of the high school pupils, about 75 purchase lunches at the school cafeteria and 105 or more others bring lunches from home.

Other Pupils

St. Joseph's, Laconia, Elem.	4
St. Mary's, Franklin, Elem.	2
Tilton School, Tilton, Elem.	1
Hancock School, Franklin, Elem.	2
Daniell Junior High School, Franklin, Elem.	1
High	3
Franklin High School, High	2
Tilton School, Tilton, High	2
Total Elementary Pupils from Tilton and Northfield attending local and outside schools, I-VIII inclusive	459
Total Secondary Pupils from Tilton and Northfield attending local and outside schools, IX-XII inclusive	173

"No School" Signal by Radio

"No School" signals will be given by radio. The closing of any school after the beginning of the morning session will be done by teacher announcement in that building.

"No-School" announcements will be made: Concord Radio Station WKXL (1450 on Dial) and Laconia WLNH (1340 on Dial)

7:15 a. m.

7:30 a. m.

7:45 a. m.

8:00 a. m.

Schools will be closed on account of weather only when the conditions make walking very difficult or travel by bus hazardous.

The "No-School" signal may not be sounded this year or next. Rain-or-shine, storm-or-cold, the school will be kept open, save for safety's sake.

Truant Officer

The School Board has appointed Mr. Walter P. Buczynski to serve as Truant Officer, replacing the late Chester A. Worthen.

School Transportation Surveys

Each fall, the several school bus contractors furnish figures on the mileage and loads. Below is a summary of the 1947 facts.

Central Garage and Supply Company: 20 miles in a. m. 1st trip 22 to Union, 11 to High; 2nd trip 19 to Union, 7 to High.

Archie G. Wheaton: 29.1 miles in a. m. 1st trip 26 to Union, 18 to High; 2nd trip 32 to Union, 13 to High.

Horace G. Wheaton: 23 miles in a. m. 1st trip 20 to Union, 16 to High; 2nd trip 24 to Union, 12 to High.

Ford Station owned by Tilton-Northfield Union School District: 12.1 miles in a. m. 1st trip 5 to Union, 4 to High; 2nd trip 2 to Union, 2 to High; 3rd trip 10 to Union, 1 to High.

Frank Plizga: Miles in a. m. 9 to Hancock, Daniell Junior, Franklin High.

Total number transported: 160 to Union, 84 to High, 9 in Franklin.

Tuition Charges

The School Board has set tuition charges for 1947-8:

Elementary, \$72 per pupil per year

High school, \$110 per pupil per year

This is an increase of \$10 for high school tuition and somewhat in keeping with per pupil cost of instruction. The State average cost of instruction per pupil in the last reported figures was \$138.89; Tilton-Northfield's comparable figure was \$139.76.

TEACHERS

Tenth Classroom, Union School

Increased enrollments and heavier teaching loads necessitated starting a tenth classroom at the Union School last January. Miss Beatrice A. Pelletier, lately returned from Connecticut, was employed for the new position.

Salary Schedule

A committee of teachers last spring submitted to the School Board, information relating to teaching conditions in nearby districts with their probable vacancies last year and the prospects of filling them, the number of beginning teachers that would be available for the coming school year, the salary schedules and plans of several districts, the prospects of filling possible vacancies in this district with local teachers with certificates, the salaries local teachers would consider satisfactory, and the cost of living for teachers in this community.

The School Board met with a committee of teachers, the Selectmen of Tilton and Northfield, and the parents in a public meeting April 25, 1947. Separate investigations by teachers and school board members established

facts on the supply of newly-trained teachers, the salary schedules adopted by many New Hampshire communities, and the salary situation in towns or communities, in the Lakes Region. The School Board also had the benefit of the advice of a consultant from the U. S. Office of Education in the preparation and adoption of a salary schedule. A schedule was adopted in June. It became partially effective in September 1947 and becomes fully effective in September 1948.

Schedule of Payments of Salaries

Person with 2-year diploma, starting salary \$1500, 16 annual increments of \$75, seventeenth year and thereafter \$2700.

Person with 3-year diploma, starting salary \$1700, 10 annual increments of \$100, eleventh year and thereafter \$2700.

Person with 4-year degree, starting salary range of \$1800 to \$2000, annual increments leading to salary range of \$2500 to \$2700 in five years.

After 1948-9, the Board may make a three-year contract with a teacher, generally with local teaching experience, who has more than five years' teaching experience and who has earned at least six semester hours' graduate credit in his teaching field, at a salary above that listed for a person with a 4-year degree.

Summer School Attendance, Summer of 1947

New State regulations on teacher certification and the stimulus of provisions in newly-adopted salary schedules were incentives for many teachers to enroll in Summer School sessions in 1947.

Donald B. Chesley	University of New Hampshire
Leah A. Gray	Columbia University—PTC
Russell S. Hanson	University of New Hampshire
Anna M. Hussey	University of New Hampshire
Arthur G. Lucier	University of New Hampshire
Helen E. Martin	University of New Hampshire
Beatrice A. Pelletier	Keene Teachers College
Earl Q. Sanborn	Boston University
Isabelle A. Surowiec	University of New Hampshire
Pauline Whitney	Simmons

New Teachers

The school organizations suffered few changes in personnel this year and, in selecting new teachers, we were fortunate to secure the services of those with experience.

Miss Hildegard M. Wittig became Mrs. Murray H. Ingalls. Her successor as primary teacher at the Union School is Miss Carolyn L. Wynott of Rye, N. H., graduate of Keene Teachers College with two years' experience in Stratham, N. H.

Miss Evelyn M. Page resigned to marry Mr. Frank Uhlenberg. Her work with older pupils at the Union School has been continued by Miss Pauline Whitney of Antrim, N. H., who has college training at Plymouth Teachers College, the University of New Hampshire, and Simmons College. Miss Whitney has Library training besides teaching experience in North Woodstock and Hampton.

Miss Jane R. Vogel of Manchester, former Tilton-Northfield High School teacher of social studies, but with recent training as a music supervisor at Rivier

College took Miss Priscilla E. Marrotte's position. Miss Marrotte became Mrs. Clement last June.

In the High School, Miss Jessie L. Dutrizac married Mr. Robert Lombard, creating a vacancy in the Home Economics department. This position was filled by the appointment of Miss Stella F. Nowicki of Hinsdale, N. H., graduate of Keene Teachers College, and with teaching experience in Troy.

To handle the Veterans Program in Agriculture, Mr. Donald C. Taylor was released from a portion of his duties and Mr. Homer C. Ransom continued as a substitute teacher.

This fall the influx of 10-12% more pupils than formerly made necessary the release of additional time to a principal for administrative and supervisory work. From November, Mrs. Beatrice B. Pelletier has taken Mrs. Meserve's pupils in the afternoon sessions.

Teachers' Meetings

One of the most important jobs of administration is to provide means whereby teachers may be cognizant of changing methods, materials, and teaching procedures. In this Supervisory union, teachers are attending a series of meetings throughout the school year, particularly emphasizing "Child Development and the Curriculum" In each of these meetings, teachers take part as speakers, and a portion of each program is scheduled for voices from outside.

September 2—Visual presentation of the theme: "All Children are Created with Personalities", through the use of films prepared by the Yale Clinic of Child Development.

September 10—Safety and Health Education in the Curriculum, Dr. Kathleen Robinson, School Physician, addressed the subject of "Physical Examinations for All", and Safety on School Buses was shown in the film, "Priceless Cargo".

October 8—Learning and Expressing through the Arts. The main speaker: Dr. Mildred Landis, Supervisor of Fine Arts in New Hampshire.

November 5—Child Development through Human Relations and Experiences. Mrs. Ralph H. Smith, Laconia School Board member and Rev. Paul V. Hostetter, Gilford PTA member, discussed "Parents Want Schools to Teach 'Living'."

January 7—Pupil Achievement in School Studies. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Erholm of Tilton, formerly connected with New Jersey Institutional work, handle the topic: "Handicrafts, A Part of School Life".

March 3—Child Development and Conservation. A program of Conservation and Reforestation will be outlined by Mrs. Marion H. Atwood of Sanbornton and an Extension Forester, Mr. K. E. Barraclough.

May 5—Child Development and Learning Levels. Mr. Donald F. Piper, Director of Youth Services, State Board of Education, will describe "Learning Levels in High School Subjects".

District-Owned School Conveyance

Four of the School Board members assumed personal responsibility for the purchase of a Ford Station Wagon in the fall of 1946 so pupils from Zion's Hill in Northfield could be transported. The action of the annual school

district meeting effected purchase, making the small bus district-owned. The expenses for the operation of this station wagon from October 23, 1946 to December 1, 1947 are shown in the list below.

Purchase price	\$1,704.04
(minus \$1500 earlier appropriated for coal pocket)	
Operator	172.00
Gasoline and oil	130.46
Insurance	93.73
Lettering	15.00
Antifreeze	6.75
Chains, repair parts, labor	9.02
Garage rent	52.00
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	\$2,183.00

The conveyance has been put to a variety of uses. It has transported school pupils, taken groups on class out-of-school visits, carried ill pupils to their homes, helped the home economics teachers to reach the homes of pupils for visitation, and accomplished errands for the school department. From October 23, 1946 to December 1, 1947, the station wagon has been driven 4000.3 miles, at a cost, including original purchase price, of \$2,183.00. As of December 1, 1947, the average retail price for a 1946 station wagon as quoted by the Ford dealers is \$1,850.00, about \$150 more than the purchase price in 1946. For transportation of pupils, setting \$20 per month for depreciation, the proportionate charge of the total operating cost has equalled \$16 per school week without return of Federal or State road toll rebates.

FINANCES

Transportation Charges

The owners of school buses under contract in this school district were invited to a meeting with the school board members early in November, to ascertain the probable charges for transportation of pupils next year. Figures were presented by the contractors to show the need for an immediate and retroactive increase of from 7c to 10c per mile. In the school year 1947-48 this increase amounts to \$2,133.00, for which the district made no appropriation. If new buses are purchased to be operated in 1948-49, writing off the cost of the buses in a 10-year period, the first year charges will total \$11,192.00, or \$3,978 more than present charges or \$1,845.00 more than any district-adjusted figures for 1947-48. The substance is that transportation charges will be considerably more than they have been with present or new vehicles.

Annual School District Meeting

In March, the School Board presented in the Town Report for action on March 12, 1947, a School Budget of \$95,324, requiring an assessment of \$92,002. It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$92,002, less any appropriation that the Legislature may vote this year.

The 1947 Legislature voted a 500% increase in State Aid. Under this legislation, Tilton-Northfield's allotment was estimated to be over \$17,000. A legislative requirement was that a special school district meeting be held to appropriate the estimated State Aid funds.

Special Meeting

On July 9, 1947, a special School District meeting was

held. It was voted that \$9,561.88 of the estimated State Aid receipts be appropriated for 1947-48 school expenses and that \$7,676.00 be appropriated to reduce school taxes. This made the 1947-48 assessment for the support of schools, \$84,326.00, to which should be added \$1,250.00 as a special appropriation for school lunch equipment.

By this action, the amount made available to the schools to meet rapidly mounting expenses was \$101,563.88, to which \$1,250 should be appended for the luncheon equipment.

Effect of New State Aid Bill

The immediate effect of the State Aid appropriation by the 1947 Legislature shows in a statement received early in December from the State Board of Education.

I. Equalization Aid:

One-room schools approved	\$1800	
Other elementary pupils	390x\$75	\$29,250.00
Secondary students,	150x\$100	15,000.00
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Total Formula Program		\$44,250.00
Equalized Valuation		
(1947)	\$4,280,878	
Less \$6.00 Tax on Equalized		
Valuation	\$25,685.27	
Total Equalization Aid (maximum)		\$10,000.00

II. General Aid:

Elementary pupils	390x\$12.33	\$4,808.70
Secondary students,	150x\$16.44	2,466.00
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Total General Aid		\$7,274.70
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Total Aid, Available Dec. 1, 1947		\$17,274.70

GENERAL

The Late Chester A. Worthen

Janitor at the Union School for nearly three decades, the late Chester A. Worthen rendered very conscientious service. He took a fatherly interest in the youngsters assisted the teachers in many ways, and maintained the building in excellent fashion. His work is missed and his painstaking service hard to replace. He died March 29, 1947.

After a period of several months, Mr. Jack E. Chamberlain was employed as janitor at the Union School.

Parents Associating with Teachers

There are several communities in the Lakes Region in which parents of youngsters enrolled in the schools have formed an association with teachers. In this way, common understandings are readily acquired and growing support of the instructional program for children and youths is obtained. Monthly meetings furnish many opportunities for parents to discuss both general and special school problems among themselves and with the teachers and school board members. Some parents, interested in their own children's advancement and in the school's program, might form a Parent-Teacher Association, or a Mothers' Club, or a Home-School Association or any similarly named organization. The school officials will gladly assist in the organizational details and in program planning, if a small group of parents desire the information and request it.

CONCLUSION

In submitting this eighth annual report, an outline of

our joint efforts during the twelve months past, it is a pleasure to express appreciation to citizens, school board members, teachers, pupils, special workers, and employees in various capacities, for cooperation, understanding, industry, and success.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD P. MATTOON.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Name of Child	No. of Child		Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents
		Male	Female				
Jan. 8	David Elliott	M	2	W	Howard J. Gloddy	Madelyn Elliott	W
Jan. 12	Frances Gayle	F	1	W	Charles W. Tilton	Maybelle Phippen	W
Jan. 21	Patricia Ann	F	1	W	Alton Sawin, Jr.	Berta E. Stanford	W
Feb. 3	Rita Mae	F	1	W	William P. Harper	Ada Mae West	W
Feb. 18	Barbara Lynn	F	2	W	Charles W. Prescott	Eleanor L. Dudley	W
Feb. 27	Sydney Owen	M	1	W	Roy S. Lavigne	Flora M. Aylesbury	W
Feb. 28	Gail Rae	F	1	W	James C. Birnie	Laura A. Colby	W
Mar. 1	Joyce Lee	F	6	W	Charles B. Green	Ethel M. Donaghy	W
Mar. 1	Richard Lee	M	1	W	Norman F. Simoneau	Helen L. Brantley	W
Mar. 4	Victor William	M	5	W	Victor L. Thompson	Alma Provencher	W
Mar. 9	Judy Ann	F	1	W	Earl R. Griffin	Malvina E. Laro	W
Mar. 21	Errol Wayne	M	5	W	Albert L. LaPlante	Annie M. Tilton	W
Mar. 30	Charles Wesley	M	7	W	Allan D. Carter	Beatrice I. Brown	W
Apr. 4	Jane Norma	F	1	W	Earl W. Wilson	Irene L. Dionne	W
Apr. 11	Harry Everett, Jr.	M	5	W	Harry E. Burley	Cecelia R. Adams	W
Apr. 19	Francis John	M	1	W	Leonard F. Chaples	Evelyn M. Canfield	W
Apr. 19	Parker Earl, Jr.	M	2	W	Parker E. Sanborn	Mary R. Sheedy	W
May 12	Wayne Douglas	M	1	W	Clifford M. Siegel	Marion E. Watson	W
May 13	Warren Edwin, Jr.	M	1	W	Warren E. Wildes	Winnifred Eldridge	W
May 21	Teri-Ann	F	2	W	Edward F. Picknell	Doris A. Elliott	W
May 25	Shirley Edward	M	1	W	Sherwood E. Griffin	Eunice M. Jondro	W
June 1	Cheryl	F	1	W	George B. Rogers	Mabel C. Whitehouse	W
June 9	Richard Emery	M	1	W	Ernest J. Thibodeau	Bertha B. Fluri	W
June 10	David Grant	M	2	W	Chester A. Woodman	Phyllis M. Fleury	W
June 19	Joseph Francis, 3rd	M	4	W	Joseph F. Lemire, Jr.	Kathlyn T. Boyle	W

DEATHS

Date Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex and Condition			Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	
		Years	Months	Days		Male	Female	Color				Sim., Mar., Wid.
Jan. 5	Sara M. P. Rogers	70	1	24	Salisbury	M	F	W	Housewife	Frank W. Prince	Ruth A. Batchelder	
Mar. 16	Louis H. Achber	52	1	1	Russia	M	F	W	Merchant	K. H. Achber	Sarah Swidgul	
Apr. 11	Sarah B. Hinds	85	9	6	East Concord	F	F	W	Housewife	John W. Bourlet	Dor'thy T. Batchelder	
Apr. 19	Annie M. Poirier	71	6	11	Hinsdale	F	F	W	At home	Ludger Poirier	Thirza Bergeron	
May 12	Mary J. C. Williams	51	4	17	Newton, Mass.	F	F	W	At home	Hugh Cannon	Sophia Valentine	
June 6	Peter P. Rogers	9	7	7	Northfield	M	W	M	Student	Lester E. Rogers	Rachel Moore	
June 6	William M. Simpson	56	2	23	Tilton	M	W	M	Clerk	William M. Simpson	Catherine Hussey	
June 10	Mary E. B. Lord	95	0	13	Northfield	F	F	W	At home	J. M. Johnson	Almira Dearborn	
June 26	Ludovic M. Shiatte	62	5	29	Tilton	M	W	M	Supt.	Andrew Shiatte	Mary Twombly	
July 7	Ruth M. Andrews	55	4	27	Springvale, Me.	F	F	W	At home	John M. Tibbetts	Alice M. Stuart	
July 27	Edwin D. Forrest	81	10	25	Northfield	M	W	W	Dentist	J. N. Forrest	Mary A. Eaton	
July 27	Alvina L. Theriault	84	5	18	Canada	F	F	W	At home	John Lachance	Marie Corribeau	
Aug. 1	Sadie F. Whitcher	59	4	7	Oxford, Maine	F	F	W	At home	William E. Herrick	Isadora Richardson	
Sept. 1	Sadie E. French	63	7	4	Palmer, Mass.	F	F	W	Housewife	Oliver Dorsett	Unknown	
Sept. 2	Rose P. Page	71	4	7	Manchester	F	F	W	At home	J. W. Smith	Flora Honey	
Sept. 10	John E. Riley	68	10	7	York, Maine	M	W	W	Farmer	Charles W. Riley	Isabelle Sewell	
Sept. 11	Clara L. Horn	75	10	25	England	F	F	W	Housewife	Wilson Lockwood	Sally Buckley	
Sept. 21	Charles W. Hill	83	4	18	Barre, Mass.	M	W	M	Machinist	Peter Hill	Mary Challenger	
Sept. 23	Alice B. Heath	83	2	23	Pittsburg	F	F	W	At home	John Brown	Unknown	
Oct. 21	Everett W. Sanborn	71	9	29	Lawrence, Mass.	M	W	W	Farmer	John Sanborn	Mary Kingsbury	
Oct. 23	Mary L. Robert	65	11	16	Tilton	F	F	W	At home	Andrew Chayotte	Mary Twombly	
Dec. 4	Martha C. Lee	77	8	12	England	F	F	W	At home	Cummings	_____ Dodd	
Dec. 18	Giselda Contigiani	28	11	1	Laconia	F	F	W	None	Albina Contigiani	Armida Spolian	
Dec. 20	John M. Blais	67	5	19	Alburg, Vt.	M	W	U	None	John P. Blais	Unknown	

Bodies brought to Tilton for burial:

Bertha G. Abbott	John H. Fellows	Frank W. Morrison	Mabel E. Roy	Asa A. Thompson
Martha A. Bridgman	Frank D. Gavin	Warren S. Nudd	Dennis G. Sweeney	John Verrill
Anastasia B. Cronin	L. H. Shepard	Frank E. Powers	Thomas J. Small	Alma M. Ward
Mabel I. Coons	Thomas Hill	Lizzie A. Powers	Edward Sullivan	
Perthel W. Crowther	Chester E. Heath	Ida M. Powers	Edna L. Suprenant	
Edward J. DeForge	Edward Lamere	Ella M. Ranlett	Edward J. Trowbridge	

MARRIAGES CONTINUED

Northfield Aug. 21	Arthur C. Nedean	Tilton	41	Salesman	Winnifred F. Walker
Tilton	Arline G. Ballou	Pittsfield	36	Bookkeeper	J. of P. Northfield
Aug. 30	Karl R. Lindquist	Nantucket, Mass.	22	Student	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Sanbornton	Mary G. May	Townsend, Mass.	21	Nurse	Minister
Sept. 13	Cecil H. Steen	Greenville, Miss.	24	Salesman	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Laconia	Ellen Chalmers	Tilton	22	At home	Minister
Sept. 20	Forrest A. Elliott	Tilton	28	Clerk	Bernard I. Sniersen
Meredith	Marjorie M. Allen	Tilton	23	At home	Justice of Peace Laconia
Sept. 26	Charles E. Clark	Tilton	40	Carpenter	Guy U. Horne
Tilton	Sarah M. Vallos	Chicago, Ill.	42	Hostess	of Peace Meredith
Oct. 4	Robert M. Dudley	Tilton	25	Engineer	Hooper R. Goodwin
Tilton	Ernestine E. Cannon	Northfield	22	At home	Clergyman Bethel, Vt.
Oct. 11	Clayton W. Storey	Tilton	20	Marines	Rev. C. P. Buckley
Tilton	Mildred E. Dunlop	Tilton	19	Secretary	Catholic Priest Tilton
Oct. 18	Reynold E. Allin	Tilton	29	Timekeeper	Fay L. Gemmell
Concord	Gonda Ewers	Tilton	21	At home	Clergyman Tilton
Oct. 23	Norman L. Andrus	Northfield	21	Press operator	Ernest A. Shepherd
Tilton	Joyce E. Andrews	Tilton	19	At home	Clergyman Concord
Nov. 15	Rene E. Belair	Tilton	23	Carpenter	Frederic W. Fitzpatrick
Tilton	Elizabeth J. Mitchell	Tilton	22	Weaver	Minister Belmont
Nov. 16	Donald B. Condon	Washington, D. C.	37	Trumpet player	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Tilton	Ellenor L. Benedict	Tilton	26	Cellist	Minister Tilton
Nov. 16	Leonard J. Johnson	East Orange, N J	41	Mechanic	Fay L. Gemmell
Tilton	Lois E. Griser	Tilton	21	Nurse	Clergyman Tilton
Nov. 29	Ralph N. LaBay	Tilton	27	Refrigeration	Rev. C. P. Buckley
Tilton	Mary D. Monahan	Lowell, Mass.	30	Teacher	Catholic Priest Tilton
Dec. 6	Oliver P. Richardson	Tilton	21	Scott & Williams	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
	Mary L. Hughes	Laconia	20	At home	Minister Tilton

MARRIAGES

Place and Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence at Time of Marriage	Age	Occupation	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Tilton Feb. 15	Robert H. Roux	Laconia	29	Carpenter	Rev. T. J. McDonough
Tilton Feb. 16	Theresa A. Breancier	Tilton	19	At home	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton Mar. 14	Stanley H. Arthur	Weymouth, Mass.	29	Bus driver	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Franklin Mar. 29	Cora P. Chapman	Tilton	24	Account clerk	Minister Tilton
Tilton Apr. 7	Edward E. LaDuke	Tilton	29	Taxi operator	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Tilton Apr. 12	Marjorie E. Nudd	Tilton	24	Mill worker	Minister Tilton
Tilton Apr. 17	Sherwood E. Griffin	Tilton	22	Farmer	Noble O. Bowlby
Tilton May 2	Eunice M. Jondro	Tilton	21	Mill worker	Clergyman Franklin
Tilton May 31	William W. Joscelyn	Tilton	20	Stock clerk	Rev. C. P. Buckley
Tilton June 14	Louise P. Storey	Tilton	21	Bookkeeper	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton July 5	August C. Gauthier	Franklin	28	Cook	Rev. C. P. Buckley
Tilton Aug. 3	Justine M. Rollins	Tilton	24	Mender	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton Aug. 9	Paul F. Riley	Tilton	21	Surveyor	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Tilton Aug. 16	Lucille M. Worster	Tilton	30	Waitress	Minister Tilton
Laconia May 31	Bernard O. Griffin	Tilton	31	Carpenter helper	Frederic W. Fitzpatrick
Tilton June 14	Jean R. Flanders	Tilton	28	Inspector	Minister Belmont
Tilton July 5	Wilfred S. Belair	Tilton	25	Clock inspector	Rev. Samuel J. Hewitt
Tilton Aug. 3	Eleanor A. Perkins	Laconia	29	Laborer	Catholic Priest Laconia
Tilton Aug. 9	Robert L. Tilton	Tilton	36	Bookkeeper	Rev. C. P. Buckley
Tilton Aug. 16	June E. Rollins	Tilton	22	Laborer	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton Aug. 23	Alward K. Allen	Tilton	24	Scott & Williams	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Tilton Aug. 30	Dorothy M. Vachon	Cambridge, Mass.	30	Physicist	Minister Tilton
Tilton Aug. 31	Richard Blythe	Tilton	20	Office clerk	Clergyman Tilton
Tilton Aug. 31	Lucie E. Vassamillet	Tilton	28	Student engineer	John T. Dallas
Tilton Aug. 31	Murray H. Ingalls	Tilton	23	Teacher	Clergyman Concord
Tilton Aug. 31	Hildegard M. Wittig	Brattleboro, Vt.	21	Gas Installation	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
Tilton Aug. 31	Edward F. Wild	Laconia	17	At home	Minister Tilton
Tilton Aug. 31	Dorothy P. Nelson	Laconia	17	At home	Minister Tilton

BIRTHS CONTINUED

June 21	Richard Langston, Jr.	M	2	W	Richard L. Eddy	Marion L. Jones	W
June 25	Daniel Henry	M	2	W	Theodore E. Moulton	Ruby M. Hodgdon	W
July 1	John Bernard	M	2	W	Bernard B. Robinson	Kathleen M. Wilson	W
July 17	Murray Allen	M	3	W	James A. Fay	Arlene M. Meserve	W
July 17	William Anthony	M	1	W	Chris W. Sakelarios	Lefcothea Liakos	W
July 25	Gregory Joseph	M	4	W	Clayton M. Storey	Ellen B. Beaupre	W
July 26	Diane Elizabeth	F	1	W	Roy L. Jordan	Wanda P. Lepinn	W
July 30	Donald Rossitter	M	1	W	Douglas R. Gould	Mildred C. Davis	W
July 30	Roland Cross	M	2	W	Douglas R. Gould	Mildred C. Davis	W
Aug. 8	Bette Lee	F	2	W	Gordon A. Elliott	Margaret R. England	W
Aug. 17	Joan Linda	F	4	W	Richard T. Moulton	Carrie E. Wilson	W
Aug. 28	Donald Edwin	M	1	W	Gerald O. Jacobs	Eileen F. Linnen	W
Aug. 30	Glen Franklin	M	1	W	Franklin F. Brown	Roberta A. Pickering	W
Sept. 10	Carla Ann	F	2	W	Camillo J. Lamanuzzi	Norma C. R. Batt	W
Sept. 27	Ellen Louise	F	2	W	John E. Sheehan, Jr.	Shirley C. Storey	W
Oct. 24	Thomas Robert	M	4	W	Clarence W. Bailey	Louise A. Arnold	W
Nov. 19	Jeffrey Moore	M	2	W	John R. Gulnac	Josephine Moore	W
Nov. 24	Lowell Annis, Jr.	M	1	W	Lowell A. Brown	Virginia A. Upton	W
Dec. 3	Betsy Ann	F	3	W	John A. Glidden	Rachel J. Fallon	W



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